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COUNTY MEETS TO DISCUSS HEALTH BOARD

Commissioners Hear State Health Secretary Outline Plans

PROGRAM WOULD PROVIDE AID FROM COMMONWEALTH

Montgomery county commissioners met with State health authorities in Norristown yesterday to discuss setting up a county-wide health board.

Foster C. Hillegas and Raymond K. Mensch spoke at length to Dr. Russell E. Teague, State Secretary of Health, who pointed out the advantages of the proposed system over the present health program.

Representatives of various social service agencies and private health organizations were also on hand in the court house to hear Dr. Teague speak of the proposed program which was made possible by a bill passed at the last session of the State legislature.

The bill specifies that various counties can set up their own health boards with financial aid from the state, which would take the place of township and borough health services, provided "the local boards consented to come in under the program."

DR. TEAGUE emphasized that the services offered by the county "would be far superior and people would get more efficient use out of their health dollar."

He said the ten first class townships, 24 boroughs, ranging in population from 550 to 48,745 and 28 second class townships, are now serviced by 35 independent health programs without coordination.

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Youth's Back Hurt, Bull Tramples Him In Stall of Barn

A Pottstown RD 2 college student suffered a possible broken back when trampled by a bull yesterday afternoon shortly after he returned home to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with his mother.

Robert Amole, 23, was driven in a Good Will ambulance by William Toso and Hiriam Keim to Pottstown hospital where he was X-rayed and admitted after he was found lying badly injured in the barn owned by his grandfather, David F. Bitler, Pottstown RD 2, at 2:30 o'clock.

E. Beatrice Bitler, Amole's aunt, discovered Amole lying in the bull's stall after she investigated his cry for help. He had called out when he heard his aunt's car enter the barnyard.

Miss Bitler, a nurse at the Lawrence school, Lawrenceville, N.J., who was also returning home for the holiday, gave this account of the accident:

Amole had gone to his grand-

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Speed Traps Await More Equipment

Sgt. Daniel J. Linton said yesterday afternoon that Pottstown's speed traps will not go into operation until three more warning signs are erected and necessary wiring connections are made.

He also said the hours of the traps' operation by borough police "will be at my discretion" and that those hours will not be disclosed to the public.

The three signs will be located on North Charlotte street near the borough line for southbound traffic, and at the north and south ends of Hanover street.

The first two signs were erected Tuesday on West and East High streets.

THE WEATHER

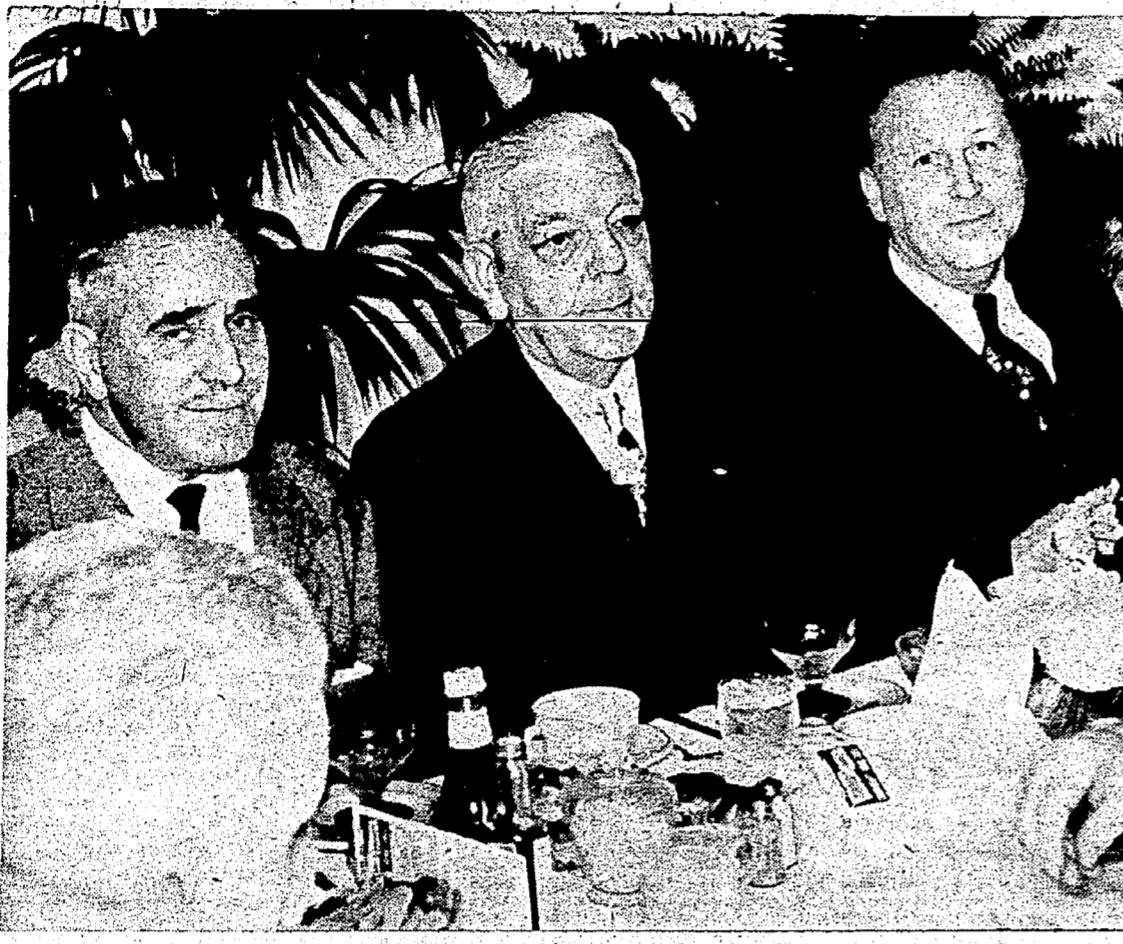
For Eastern Pennsylvania: Cloudy and colder today, with stronger winds. Tomorrow, colder and chances of showers.

60 Mercury 48
High Antics

TEMPERATURE EXTREMES

Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

4 a. m.	48	1 p. m.	58
5 a. m.	49	2 p. m.	60
6 a. m.	50	3 p. m.	60
7 a. m.	50	4 p. m.	60
8 a. m.	51	5 p. m.	60
9 a. m.	52	6 p. m.	60
10 a. m.	53	7 p. m.	60
11 a. m.	54	8 p. m.	60
12 m.	55	9 p. m.	59



Mercury Staff Photo

Two Persons Hurt, Cars Damaged in Three Accidents

Two persons were injured slightly and two automobiles damaged in three accidents in Pottstown yesterday afternoon and early last night.

Roy Bramm, 21, of Pottstown RD 2, suffered a scratched right arm at High and Hanover streets when he was knocked to the ground as he crossed from the north to the south side of High street at 3 o'clock.

He told Desk Sgt. Anthony H. Herman the left front fender of a car turning east onto High street from South Hanover street struck his left hip.

He said the car did not stop and he was unable to obtain its license number, but the driver of the auto, Mrs. George Wayock Jr., 619 Spruce street, later reported the accident to police.

Mrs. WAYOCK said she saw Bramm crossing the street and a man crossing from the south side to the north and thought while turning her car that she would hit neither of them.

She said she realized she had grazed the boy, but could not stop

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O. C. Beacraft (center), who was made manager of the Pottstown Automobile club shortly after it was formed in 1929, was given a testimonial dinner last night at Lakeside Inn in honor of his retirement announced the past April. On the left is R. B. Maxwell, secretary-manager of the Pennsylvania Motor federation, and on the other side of him is John H. Longaker, Pottstown attorney and club solicitor who acted as master of ceremonies at the affair. Beacraft became manager of the Auto club when membership was slightly over 1000. In his years of service membership increased to 14,000.

Horace Hughes Named As Manager, Secretary of Pottstown Auto Club

Horace A. Hughes, assistant for the past 21 years to O. C. Beacraft, retiring secretary-manager of Pottstown Automobile club, will succeed Beacraft in this post with the 14,000-member club.

Beacraft announced this last night at a testimonial dinner given by auto club directors at Lakeside inn. The club's executive board had elected Hughes as his successor at its meeting the past month but did not make the news public until last night.

Hughes will take over his new duties when Beacraft's retirement announced the past April, takes effect. In announcing his retirement, Beacraft indicated he hoped Hughes would succeed him.

A lifelong resident of the Pottstown area, Hughes lives at 303 Yost avenue, Spring City. Beacraft's home is in Sanatoga. Both men are 65 years old.

Beacraft, who has been the club's first and only manager, took over the post in 1929, shortly after the club was organized. It had only slightly over 1000 members then.

He is stepping down to enjoy more family life and leisure than was possible with his job, which required long hours during the day and which followed him home at nights via the telephone. He plans a Florida vacation after his retirement begins.

IN RECENT YEARS, Hughes has taken over much of the work with safety patrols. In this work, he repeatedly has visited every school in the club's district.

The biggest part of his job has been soliciting new memberships including the music provided and

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Bobby Walters Sits Up Briefly

Bobby Walters sat up in bed briefly again yesterday, but he was weak and tired.

A Sacred Heart hospital, Norristown, spokesman last night reported, "His condition is the same as it has been for the past two days."

The 4-year-old Green Lane RD 1 polio and cancer victim took a turn for the worse several days ago.

CITIZENS TO BOW HEADS TODAY, OFFER THANKS

Schedule of Services Are Listed for Congregations

Pottstown men and women will bow their heads at church services this morning to give thanks to God on this Thanksgiving Day.

Second Baptist and Bethel AME churches will conduct joint services at 11 o'clock at Bethel church.

An 8:30 o'clock service at Zion's Reformed church will mark the congregation's period of thanksgiving.

St. Paul's Reformed church, Stowe, St. Peter's Lutheran church, Stowe, and Brethren in Christ church, Stowe, will hold a union service at 9 o'clock at St. Paul's church.

TRANSFIGURATION LUTHERAN, St. John's Reformed, First Brethren, Emmanuel Lutheran and Grace Lutheran churches will offer thanks to God at individual services

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7 Local Churches Meet for Combined Thanksgiving Rites

Seven church congregations met in Trinity Evangelical Congregational church last night at 8 o'clock in annual observance of joint Thanksgiving Day services.

Delivering the sermon was the Rev. Laurence T. Beers, pastor of First Baptist church. The Rev. Beers' sermon was entitled, "For What We Are Thankful."

Officiating at the services was the host pastor, the Rev. Donald T. Floyd, and the Rev. A. Burris Hallock Jr., pastor of First Presbyterian church.

Other congregations represented and their pastors were Baltzel Evangelical United Brethren church, the Rev. John L. Smoker; Salem Evangelical United Brethren church, the Rev. John F. Wilson; First Methodist church, the Rev. Martin J. Brinton, and Seaford Memorial Methodist church, the Rev. Maurice E. Hoover.

WILLIS BRIDEGAM was organist at the service. The entire service was one of Thanksgiving, including the music provided and

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Another Reason to Be Thankful



The attractive young lady in the ringed photo has one more thing to be thankful for on Thanksgiving Day. She is the winner of the \$2.50 cash award given by the Mercantile bureau. The bonus for being the subject for The Mercury's photographer while shopping in Santa Clausland will buy part of a turkey to satisfy

Administrator Expects Work To Be Started Early Next Spring

Plans for a \$120,000 new wing at Memorial hospital were announced yesterday by Albert P. Pollick, hospital administrator.

The proposed project, which has been in the planning and discussion stage for the past four months, has been approved by State authorities, leaving the way clear for Federal financial aid.

"If all goes according to schedule, construction should start sometime in the early Spring," Pollick said.

The administrator said that Charles R. Wylie, president of the

hospital board of directors, and session, George W. Scott, architect for the Eastern Engineering company, Reading, drew up preliminary plans for the proposed new wing.

Then early in October, Wylie made his first trip to Harrisburg to discuss possibility of receiving the \$48,000 Federal subsidy, which at that time was assured, leaving the hospital responsible for the remaining \$72,000.

Further conferences and changes in blueprints resulted in the present plan, which calls for a one-story structure with a basement, totalling 300,750 square feet of floor space, to be connected to the main building with a 340 square foot corri-

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SCHOOL BOARD PLANS CANVASS FOR TAX INCOME

Teachers to Run Survey Of Borough, Plus School Census

A plan to increase tax revenue for the Pottstown school district is taking shape.

School board members expect to authorize an occupational tax assessment canvass of the entire borough.

They plan to employ school teachers to conduct the canvass and to make the school population census at the same time.

H. Bert Shaw, school board president, said, "I don't know when the plan will be approved, but we have seriously considered it as a way to insure a higher collection rate of occupational taxes."

THE PLAN was suggested by Treasurer William H. Yohn this past Fall as a way to increase revenue.

A State law passed in recent months provides for the collection of delinquent occupational taxes.

When the plan is approved teachers will be assigned a given district.

By this method all 21-year-old persons living in the borough will be accounted for and will be required to pay the board's occupation tax.

The plan, originally discussed,

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ON THE MAIN DRAG

ALBERT PIAZZA —almost forgetting an appointment.

HARRIET LACHMAN —admiring Christmas lights.

CAROLINE LONGACRE —window shopping.

KENNETH BUSH —taking a long Thanksgiving holiday.

PATTY BELL —saying "good-bye" to friends.

MONICA KATCH —preparing for a dance.

JOHN LOZENSKI —vacationing in the hospital.

ROBERT WORSLEY —talking about the rabbit he missed.

JOHN ARONOWICZ —hanging up the wash.

MARY LOU NICHOLS —taking a few trips.

GENERAL PLACES VANDENBERG IN OFFICIAL FAMILY

Son of Late Senator Named White House Secretary

NEW YORK, Nov. 26 (AP)—President-Elect Eisenhower chose another member of his official family today—his White house secretary.

Eisenhower named Arthur H. Vandenberg Jr., son of the late Michigan Senator, as White house secretary. He will succeed Matthew Connally.

James C. Hagerty, press secretary to the president-elect, said Vandenberg's duties would include the handling of appointments with the president, "among other things."

Hagerty said two additional appointments, other than cabinet positions, will be announced tomorrow at 3 p.m. Pottstown time at Eisenhower headquarters.

He also said the staff would work over the weekend here and that there will be daily lists of the president-elect's engagements as well as announcements of additional appointments to offices in the new administration.

HAGERTY TOLD reporters the president-elect has a schedule of appointments that runs through next Sunday.

Eisenhower will spend Thanksgiving Day at home, but will return to his office on Friday and work through the weekend. Hagerty said Vandenberg will be entrusted with expanded duties.

Vandenberg has been a member of Eisenhower's immediate staff since the beginning of his campaign for the GOP nomination and then the presidency.

Earlier today the president-elect received a complete report on Korea from Mrs. Anne Rosenberg, assistant secretary of defense, who returned from there the past weekend. Later, Eisenhower's office announced that William P. Rogers of Bethesda, Md., will be deputy attorney general in the next administration.

Mrs. Rosenberg, who is in charge of manpower in the Defense department, laughed off questions as to whether Eisenhower had asked her to remain in the post.

Vishinsky Tells UN Red China Rejected India's Peace Plan

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Nov. 26 (AP)—Russia's Andrei Y. Vishinsky told the UN Political committee today that Red China rejected India's compromise peace plan for Korea two days ago. That was the same day Vishinsky turned it down for the Soviet Union.

The United States delegation said while Vishinsky spoke that it will leave up to President-Elect Dwight D. Eisenhower any further moves for peace in Korea if the Indian plan is officially and finally rebuffed by the Communist Chinese and the North Koreans.

A high Indian source said his delegation had received word only this morning of Red China's attitude, relayed through New Delhi.

"You can call it a rejection," this source said, "but we call it objections. The more objections we receive the more we must push our efforts."

Over the sustained and vociferous objections of Vishinsky the Political committee voted 49 to 5, with Nationalist China abstaining, to give top priority to the Indian peace plan, which is expected to be amended in such a way as to meet US objections.

LOCAL NOTICES

Levengood's Cup, Char. & Prospects Sts., will be open from 4 to 6:30 p.m. Thanksgiving Day.

Family dinners served Thanksgiving Day from 11 to 6. Kirkwood restaurant, located on route 100.

Larry's social party tonight. Monthly drawing tonight. Bonus feature ready to go. Ten turkeys.

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Some idea of the bloody, discouraging task facing United Nations forces in Korea is given by this panoramic view of the stark terrain surrounding Triangle hill, which, with neighboring heights has been changing hands rapidly and repeatedly. To the left of the dominating

peak of Triangle hill is the lower promontory (arrow) known as Pike's peak. To the right is the black burst of a shell. The photo was taken from the crest of Sniper ridge, which in itself is a never-ending battleground.

1000 Dock Workers Strike in New York Protesting Probe

NEW YORK, Nov. 26 (AP)—A thousand defiant dock workers struck a busy section of New York's rackets-ridden waterfront today to protest a State crime probe of some of their union leaders. They were expected to resume work tomorrow.

Two of the world's biggest ships—the liners Queen Elizabeth and the United States—were caught in the tieup. Some 3000 of their passengers had to wrestle their own luggage ashore. Two smaller liners also were caught.

The Cunard Line, which operates the Queen Elizabeth, called the work stoppage a "political strike."

The State Crime commission ignored the demonstration and went right on subpoenaing members of the AFL International Longshoremen's association to ask them about waterfront racketeering.

TWO KEY MEMBERS of the ILA's Local 824 were summoned from midtown piers to testify in private before the commission. They refused to answer questions however, and were told to come back for public hearings starting Dec. 3.

The two are Harold Bowers, a union organizer, and his ex-convict cousin, Mickey Bowers.

Members of their local refused to answer the morning's shapeup, the lineup where dockers draw their daily pier assignments.

Joseph P. Ryan, president of the ILA, said:

"The hiring stevedores had been subpoenaed to appear before the State Crime commission this morning and the men complained that they would not go to work unless their hiring stevedores were on the pier."

Ohio Slayer Declines To Request Re-Trial

WILLIAMSPORT, Nov. 26 (AP)—A 32-year-old Ohio mechanic today declined to ask for a new trial after a Lycoming county jury found him guilty the past week in the fatal shooting of a baseball fan on Aug. 17.

"We are satisfied that the defendant was given a fair trial in all respects," said George M. Hess Jr., Williamsport, court-appointed counsel for Irwin P. Goff, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.

Goff was convicted Nov. 22 of first degree murder in the pistol slaying of Raymond Smith, 19, Monongahela, Pa., who was in Williamsport to attend the Little League State Baseball series. The jury recommended life imprisonment.

Judge Charles S. Williams, who presided over the trial, set Friday for formal sentencing.

Throughout the five-day trial no definite motive was established for the crime.

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Thanksgiving Dinner for UN Troops More Elaborate Than Ever Before

SEOUL, Thursday, Nov. 27 (AP)—American front line troops ate full course Thanksgiving dinners today with the warning from their commander that "Godless Communism wants no peace" in Korea.

Holiday feasts were preceded by religious services of all faiths—held even in front line dugouts—more elaborate than on either of the two preceding Thanksgiving Days of the Korean war.

Battle lines were relatively quiet as the day dawned.

The traditional turkey dinner, from shrimp cocktail to nuts and 18 ounces of turkey per man, was prepared for every soldier in Korea.

THEY SHARED the American feast with troops of almost every other one of the 21 United Nations fighting in Korea.

Here is the Thanksgiving Day menu:

Shrimp cocktail, stuffed celery, olives, pickles, roast young tom turkey with poultry dressing and giblet gravy, cranberry sauce, snow flaked potatoes and buttered peas, cold slab, hot Parker house rolls and oleomargarine, pumpkin pie and fruit cake, apples, tangerines in Korea."

O'Dwyer Resigns as Ambassador To Mexico, Effective Midnight Dec. 6

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26 (AP)—William O'Dwyer resigned today as ambassador to Mexico.

The White House announced that his resignation has been received by President Truman and has been accepted effective at midnight, Dec. 6.

O'Dwyer is a former mayor of New York city.

He resigned the mayoralty post in August, 1950, to accept an appointment as ambassador to Mexico.

After O'Dwyer left the country he became a controversial figure in the news.

THE SENATE crime committee said in one of its reports that he had contributed to the growth of crime in New York. An investigation had uncovered extensive evidence of police graft during his administration.

Demands were made by some members of Congress that Truman recall O'Dwyer but the President paid no heed to them.

NOT CAUGHT

MILES CITY, Mont. Nov. 26 (AP)—Police scared off grocery store burglars who left behind \$80, half-eaten rings of bologna and a barrel of salt colored with red ink.

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From hence, let fierce contending nations know what dire effects from civil discord flow.—Joseph Addison.

Give Thanks Today

POTTSTOWN pauses from its toil today to give thanks for the bountiful gifts we have received in America, the land of the free.

Over the years we have become prone to look on this distinctly American holiday as simply a holiday from work, and an opportunity to attend a football game.

Thanksgiving Day has a greater significance, however. It is a day originally dedicated to giving special thanks to God for His blessings to a people struggling to establish themselves in a new and undeveloped land.

This great nation of ours has advanced remarkably since those first Thanksgiving Days. God has indeed been good to the people of this land. And we mustn't forget it. We must not take our blessings for granted, as something the world owes to us.

Today Pottstown's churches will observe special services for all to thank the Creator. But let's not stop at one service, one prayer. Let us make this a weekend of thanks, continuing the observance through Sunday, And then say thanks the remainder of the year!

In our churches let's offer prayers of thanks to Him who has successfully brought us to the close of another fruitful season.

Let's make it a week of Thanksgiving, acknowledging our blessings and praying for strength to help others in foreign lands whose homes have been ravaged by war, and who are in need of our help.

All of us will gain more joy from the Thanksgiving holiday and football games if we first take time to recognize the blessings God has bestowed upon us.

The idea of Thanksgiving Day may come to the Pilgrims from their sojourn in Holland before they set out for the New World.

They found the Dutch observing annually a day of thanks for deliverance from the Spaniards, and the Pilgrims joined in those celebrations.

So when the settlers in the Plymouth colony learned, in 1621, that the second winter in their new home promised to be less rigorous than that first one had been in 1620, the Dutch example of setting aside a day for Thanksgiving must have come back to their minds.

The seeds planted in the Spring had yielded a good harvest, and game was plentiful. One Pilgrim wrote thus in 1621: "Although it be not always so plentiful as it was at this time with us, yet by the goodness of God we are so farre from want, that we often wish you partakers of our plenty."

A day to solemnize the gathering of the harvest is a custom that goes away back into antiquity.

The Greeks celebrated the feast of Demeter, goddess of harvests, and the Romans paid homage annually to Ceres, their harvest goddess. And the ancient Jews, a pastoral race, set the end of Summer, when the cattle-farming crops were ready for gathering in Palestine, as the beginning of the New Year.

In 1623 the Pilgrim Fathers again had special cause for giving thanks; rain had ended a long drought, and a relief ship from England had been reported.

After some years the Massachusetts Bay Colony fell into the habit of celebrating a Thanksgiving day every year. In 1817 New York proclaimed an annual Thanksgiving Day; one by one the other states followed suit.

Thus we are reminded of our blessings. But we must pray that peace may come to the struggle that is taking so many of our young Americans' lives. Give thanks—and pray for peace.

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Grampaw Oakley

PUNKIN CORNERS,
Editor, The Mercury,
November 26.

Dear Sir 'n' Brother:

Wal, I see by the Mercury where this year's Thanksgiving Day dinner will be cheaper than 1951's. Please pass the gravy until you can't see the whites of their eyes!

Down at Bowie the race track season finally opened after heavy downpours caused pro & gam suspensions. The nags, it seems, were mudders, but not flooders!

And say: An item says cows enjoy looking at television. Don't those beer commercials make them jealous?

Hopin' you air the same,

GRAMPAW NED OAKLEY

READERS SAY:

High School Driver Asks Consideration

The name and complete address of the author must accompany every contribution but on request will not be published. Letters not exceeding 250 words will receive preference.

Student's Worried

To the Editor: I am very much concerned about the driving conditions in this town. As a student in the Pottstown Senior High school, I can feel very bad about the way some people in this town work against the driving teacher of the school.

He certainly is doing his part in giving the pupils the advantage of learning the best driving and safety techniques.

Some people seem to think that the only purpose of the driving course is to get some students behind the wheel of the car and pin drivers' licenses on them.

This is certainly the wrong impression for any one to take. The reason for giving the instruction is to train the student in the best rules for safety, so that when a license is issued the driver will know how to better conduct and protect himself when in the car and behind the wheel.

Why some people complain about the driving of the students when behind the wheel of the driving car is beyond me. They say, "Go to the next block and leave our block undisturbed by your infernal driving."

Yet, when the morning paper tells

of a student who is injured in an automobile accident, the scoffers who is against driving instruction, shakes his head and says, "This modern generation!"

When will these people wake up and realize that the students are going to be the drivers of the future?

I hope that the people of our town will get behind Mr. Hamilton and support their children as they prepare to learn to drive so that they may be better qualified drivers in the future. As a student, I know that it annoys me to have these insinuations brought before me.

Please see what you can do, Mr. Editor, and Mr. and Mrs. Pottstown, to help Mr. Hamilton help our young people.

Pottstown A SAFETY Minded STUDENT

School Costs Too Much

To the Editor: It looks to me like the school board directors should make a move to discontinue operations to build a new school in the West End. When they first decided on the school it was agreed they would keep the cost down to \$300,000.

They planned a nice building. After plans were drawn, they were informed that the cost would be considerably higher.

That's when they began cutting out

West High street. REALIST

WASHINGTON

Eisenhower Plans to Cut US Budget by 20 Billion

By RAY TUCKER

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26—Such technical terms as "re-examination" and "de-authorization" will become increasingly familiar to Congress and the American people under the Eisenhower Administration's plan to cut Federal expenditures by \$10 billion for fiscal 1954 and an additional \$10 billion in the following year.

Such economies in the swollen budgets of recent years may permit a possible reduction of 10 to 12 percent from the current peak rates, which now produce a revenue of almost \$70 billion annually.

The transfer of this amount from the tax collectors' till to consumers for spending or investment is regarded by economists as one safeguard against a serious recession, when rearmament outlays decline to more normal levels.

CONTROL LOST: Several Capitol Hill committees have been studying Federal finances in executive sessions during the Summer. Their surveys show that Congress has lost complete control of public monies because it has been giving a blank check for long-range periods to the downtown spenders, and then forgotten about and failed to police the handout branch of the government.

Unless this careless and wasteful system is revised in accord with proposals to be submitted to the 83rd session early next year, it is estimated that Federal agencies will enjoy the exclusive power of deciding how \$100 billion may be spent, even though the original purpose and program for using this vast amount may have become obsolete.

With economic, industrial, military and even geographic conditions changing so rapidly on the eve of the atomic age, it is generally agreed that Congress cannot appropriate in 1954 for projects that will not be completed until 1954 or 1955.

Almost every witness at these off-the-record hearings conceded that point, although certain spokesmen for the Interior and Defense Departments were reluctant to admit it. The proposed reform would cramp their style of spending the taxpayers' contributions.

ART MOONEY brings a new voice into the Paramount with him tomorrow—a Belfast beauty named Cathy Ryan . . . Margaret Truman isn't letting her vocal pipes grow

rusty. Although she's been making big money as a concert and video diva, she still trots to a studio on W. 57th street for frequent singing lessons.

Huntington Hartford's new flicker, "Face to Face" (which stars his wife, Marjorie Steele) has started something new in movie theater circles. It features two different plots and casts, and exhibitors out of town have asked for, and received, permission to cut it in half and show each half separately . . . Don't kid her about it, but the bookkeeper at the Fireside Inn is named Bea Barp.

Two of the cutest girls in a hit musical had a run-in with the law the other morning. They were brawling after too many nightcaps . . . An album of piano tunes played by a 5-year-old girl is being waxed by the B.B.C. disc company. But the child won't be billed on the records—her parents insist on her remaining anonymous and unspoiled.

HAVE A RUMOR straight from a Washington cocktail party: Charles Lindbergh to be offered Ambassador O'Dwyer's job in Mexico when the Repubs take over . . . Billy Conn won't accept a role in the movie biography of Joe Louis. He's too far out of condition—and too rich. But Primo Carnera, now a wrestler, would like a spot in the flicker.

The new TV crooner who comes on as "Valentino" (and pulls plenty of scented mail at the network) is legally Athos Barrington Sharma. He's Hindu-Italian . . . Prospective opponents of District Attorney Hogan for Mayor of New York will horrify the taxpayers by asking him to reveal exactly how much the vice investigation and the "hospitality" provided for its witnesses has cost the city. The wages of sin may be high, but the price of finding out about it is even higher!

IN RETROSPECT 50 Years Ago November 27, 1902

TROLLEY ACCIDENT — Three persons were injured when a trolley car of the Pottstown Passenger Railway company was derailed on the bridge spanning Santago creek near the park. Injured were Harry Moyer, 21, of Frederick; Edward Detler, 18, of Linfield, and Irvin U. Betz, 13 West Fourth street.

CORNERSTONE LAYING — The cornerstone of the Grace Reformed Chapel, Pottstown Landing, was laid with the program in charge of Rev. George H. Miller, pastor of Shenkel Reformed church. He was assisted by Rev. Charles S. Wieand, of Zion's Reformed church, this borough, and Rev. H. O. Carmichael, of Cedarville Methodist church.

"My husband is a home-loving man, aged 32. My suggestion of breaking up our marriage is driving him almost crazy. He is begging forgiveness, and promises never to falter again.

"As much as I would like to forgive him, and know it would be the Christian thing to do, I just cannot forgive or forget.

"Dr. Crane, do you think there is any hope for our marriage? We've been together for 6 years."

FUNERAL SINGER—H. E. Ruhl, has resigned as organist of Salem Reformed church, Allentown, after 22 years of service, only missing four Sundays. He sang at 1304 funerals.

EXHIBIT HOGS—Sycamore Farms, E. R. Fritsche, proprietor, and B. D. Harvey, manager, have on exhibit at the International Livestock exposition in Chicago, Ill., 20 pure-bred Berkshire hogs among them a national champion boar.

10 Years Ago November 27, 1942

DEER HUNTERS—Mr. and Mrs. F. Brooke Binder, this borough, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bossert, Pughtown, and William C. Mowry, Spring City, arrived home from two weeks hunting trip to Howe Brook, Maine. They bagged four deer.

Likewise, when an idealist in marriage, whether it be husband or wife, finds that the other mate has been unfaithful, the shock is very severe.

Cynicism often is the result, for a cynic is simply a person who once was an idealist, but whose faith has been shattered by disillusionment.

The cynic, however, is not logical or scientific, for he thereupon transfers his disbelief to other women besides the one who double crossed him.

Jesus knew that fundamentally Peter was probably the most devoted and loyal follower among the 12 Apostles.

RESIGNS—Rev. Fenton I. Laucks, pastor of Linfield and Shenkel Reformed churches for the past five years, has resigned to accept the pastorate of St. John's church, Bangor.

THANKSGIVING SPREAD



ALL AROUND THE TOWN

Out for Thanksgiving...

Christmas Meal Abroad...

HAPPY HOLIDAY—Oliver C. Conger, the Pottstown insurance tycoon and banker, may be looking forward to a happy Thanksgiving holiday today. He's able to be home after a stay in the Pottstown hospital for a stomach condition.

Benjamin F. Powell, son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Powell, Pottstown RD 1, has been promoted to airman, first class, at Williams Air Force base, Chandler, Arizona. He and his wife, the former Wanda Lee Peters, are living in Chandler. Edward W. McClintock, son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. McClintock, 722 North Hanover street, has been promoted to private, first class, with his Third Infantry division in Korea.

CHRISTMAS DINNER—Here's a fine offer for a Pottstown area family who has a loved one with the armed services in Germany. Mrs. Anna Schirahman, 427 Cherry street, has a cousin in Augsburg, Germany, who would like to give any Pottstown soldier stationed near her home a Christmas dinner. Mrs. Schirahman said her cousin has no children at home. She said the middle-aged couple invites any Pottstown service man to spend the Christmas holiday with them. Arrangements to meet the German couple can be made with Mrs. Schirahman. There's little time between now and Christmas and mails are slow, so make the arrangements here!

QUITE A JOB—Pvt. Richard D. Neiman, whose wife, Winifred, lives in Bechtelsville, recently took part in a unique Army engineer construction project in Korea. A member of the I Corps' 14th Engineer Combat Battalion, he helped build the 934-foot Spoonbill Bridge across the turbulent Imjin river, the only bridge of its kind across the stream. Built on fixed piers instead of the usual floating pontoons, the widened steel treadway bridge now can handle more traffic and heavier loads because of the change. Greater protection also is offered against high water on the frequently-flooded river. Neiman entered the Army in April of this year. He is the son of Jesse Neiman, West Lawn, former Pottstown policeman, and Mrs. Dorothy Neiman, Boyertown.

MISSING—Cheery voice of the Pottstown hospital's telephone switchboard is missing for a little while. That's because Mrs. Nancy Haas, 711 North Charlotte street, has been admitted to the hospital for a minor operation. William W. Rieger Jr., 18, Douglassville RD 2, has been trapping for several years catching 'possums, weasels, raccoons and skunks but he had never seen a porcupine in the area until yesterday. The young trapper found a 30-pound, black specimen on Monocacy road, Douglassville. He said it looked as though the animal had been hit by an automobile.

GOT TO KNOW HER—Many a Pottstown got acquainted with the new treasurer of the US-to-be almost a month ago. Then Mrs. Ivy Baker Priest, of Utah, spoke to 2000 Republicans at a county rally in Sunnybrook ballroom. She pinch-hit for Senator Knowland, of California, who couldn't make the dinner on Oct. 30. Tuesday she was named by President-elect Eisenhower to be the new custodian of the treasury. She made an agreeable impression here, impressed local listeners with her ability. A housewife, Mrs. Priest said she thought it was a fine thing for a woman to have a voice in the nation's "financial housekeeping." Mrs. Priest was vice chairman of the Republican National committee when she appeared here.

IT HAPPENED TODAY

Thanksgiving Day,

Philadelphia Council Passes Two Contested Tax Increase Bills

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and renewals and assisting in accident investigations.

At the testimonial dinner, Beacraft was given three major gifts:

Attorney John H. Longaker, club solicitor, who was master of ceremonies, presented him with a U.S. Government bond on behalf of the club.

R. B. Maxwell, secretary-manager of the Pennsylvania Motor Federation, gave him luggage on behalf of the federation.

Edward L. Pennypacker, insurance representative of the Pottstown Automobile Insurance agency, presented him with a complete set of fishing tackle on behalf of the agency, which is an affiliate of the club, and of which Beacraft also is manager.

IN ADDITION to Maxwell, the featured speaker was Lt. Gov. Lloyd H. Wood, Evansburg.

William F. Lamb Sr., veteran club president, presided at a brief business session. The Rev. Edgar M. Cooper, pastor of New Hanover Lutheran church, gave the invocation.

The ruddy-faced, silver-haired Hughes was born in Chester county, near Birchrunville. His mother, Mrs. Margaret Hughes, still is living, in West Chester. His father was the late Charles W. Hughes.

After attending Chester county schools, Hughes worked on the family farm for a short time, then went to work for Buckwalter Stove

company, Royersford. He was employed by the company for 22 years.

WHEN THE Stowe company went out of business, Hughes joined the auto club and has been with them since. He was elected assistant to Beacraft in January, 1932.

Most of Hughes' work has been out of the office, visiting patrols and members in all sections of Upper Montgomery county.

As is the case with the job he is stepping into, his present job puts him on call 24 hours a day. "I enjoy the work, enjoy serving the members," he said. He added, "Leisure time for me is when nobody calls me at home."

Hughes, who has a first-name acquaintanceship with thousands of Pottstown area residents, is known for his ready laugh and ready replies of a humorous nature.

His wife of the past 44 years is Margaret (Kring) Hughes. They have a daughter, Christine, wife of Samuel Eagle, Phoenixville, and a granddaughter.

A member of Spring City Reformed church and secretary of its consistory for 15 years, Hughes also is a member of these fraternal organizations:

Vincent Lodge 762, IOOF (Odd Fellows), Spring City; Excelsior Encampment 85, Pottstown; Marcella-Rebekah lodge, Spring City; Sellersville Lodge 1539, Loyal Order of Moose, and Lansdale Aerie 1761, Fraternal Order of Eagles.

AMONG SUPPORTERS of the two levels are leaders of the CIO.

Two leading opponents of the three mill mercantile tax said they would test any such legislation in the courts. They were Maurice W. Kail, president of the Business Men's association, and Arthur E. Dennis, counsel for the Philadelphia meat and allied food industry.

Kail said, "We'll not take this thing lying down and we intend, at once, to defeat this vicious legislation in the courts."

Plane Carrying Eden Is Underway Again

GANDER, Nfld., Nov. 26 (AP)—The

airliner carrying British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden and Australia's Prime Minister Robert G.

Menzies took off for London at

5:30 p.m. today (4 p.m. Pottstown time) after day-long delays because of engine trouble.

The British Overseas airways stratocruiser was forced to land here and was scheduled to leave at 8:30 a.m. Then the flight was delayed until noon and again to 1:30 p.m.

The plane, carrying the two statesmen to London for the Commonwealth conference which opens Thursday, turned back last night after an oil leak developed over the Atlantic.

The faulty engine was replaced here.

BULL ATTACKS —

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father's farm from the nearby home of his mother, Mrs. Edna Amole, and went to look at the dehorned bull. The bull knocked him against the barn's stone wall, then trampled him.

Amole had returned home Tuesday night from the college, where he is a post-graduate geology student. He is a graduate of Warwick township High school.

CHILDREN MENACED

NEW YORK, Nov. 26 (AP)—About

two million American children will lose their lives or be injured next year as the result of home accidents, according to a statistical study by the American Mutual Liability Insurance company.

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Horace Hughes Named Auto Club Manager

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company, Royersford. He was employed by the company for 22 years.

Ready for Action



Two Cars Damaged; One Hurt in Wreck

Two cars were damaged badly and at least one person was injured in a Route 33 collision near Laurel Locks farm last night.

The entire front end of a 1936 eastbound sedan was crushed and the left side of a westbound sedan heavily damaged.

A third sedan heading west on 33 skidded into a guard rail. The right front and back fenders were damaged.

At least one person was injured. A passenger in the westbound sedan was thrown from the car.

The eastbound auto skidded across the road and hit a guard rail.

The accident happened at 7:35 o'clock. Chief Daniel W. Guldin, of North Coventry township, investigated.

RKO Wins Court Sanction For Not Naming Writer

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 26 (AP)—RKO studio today won legal sanction of its refusal to give writer Paul Jarrico screen credit for a movie after he had balked at saying whether he was a Communist.

Superior Judge Orlando Rhodes' ruling, ending a seven-day trial, also denied Jarrico \$100,000 damages.

The \$200 a week scenarist was fired March 23, 1951, when industrialist Howard Hughes headed the studio after refusing to answer the House Committee on Un-American Activities.

RKO denied him credit on the film "The Las Vegas Story" on the ground his action violated the morals clause of his contract. The studio contended Jarrico incurred such hostile public reaction that his name on the movie would have rendered it valueless.

Elephants have been known to live to an age of 120 years.

Heavy Snow, Gales, Ice Grip Most of Britain

LONDON, Nov. 26 (AP)—Heavy snow, gales and ice gripped most of Britain tonight.

In Wales, fallen trees blocked express trains and a two-mile traffic snarl piled up outside the big industrial city of Cardiff when the main highway was blocked by a stalled truck. Eight inches of snow fell in some mountain districts.

More than 100 people were treated for minor injuries from slipping on icy sidewalks in Newcastle.

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Rev. Harland Hill Accepts Pastorate Of Pughtown Church

The Rev. Harland A. Hill, pastor of the Jefferson (Pa.) Baptist church, has accepted the pastorate of the Pughtown Baptist church.

The 34-year-old minister will assume his duties Feb. 1.

He succeeds the Rev. Thomas A. Gibbons, who resigned the past Sept. 1 to accept a charge in Radnor, Ohio. The Rev. Gibbons had been pastor of the Pughtown church two years.

The Rev. Hill, pastor of the Jefferson church three years, was elected unanimously by his new congregation the past Nov. 19. He was one of six candidates for the post.

During his Pughtown pastorate, the Rev. Hill intends to study at the Eastern Baptist Theological seminary, Philadelphia.

He is married and the father of two daughters, 5 and 6 years old.

JOINT SERVICES —

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hymns which were sung.

Last night's service was the first combined Thanksgiving Day service held at Trinity Evangelical Congregational church.

The addition to the church during the past year provided the needed room to accommodate the seven congregations, the Rev. Floyd said.

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Boyertown Man, 77, Dies; Was Lifelong Resident of Borough

Samuel N. Gottshall, 28 West Sixth street, Boyertown, an employee of the Boyertown Burial Casper company for 23 years, died early last night at his home.

Mr. Gottshall had been a barber for 20 years before working at the casket company was last employed at a Boyertown department store.

A lifelong resident of Boyertown, he was the son of the late Jonathan and Annie M. (Nagle) Gottshall.

He was a member of Washington camp of Patriotic Order of Sons of America for 60 years. Boyertown Lodge 708 of the Odd Fellows, Nest 22, Fraternal Order of Orpheans and St. John's Lutheran church in Boyertown.

HE IS survived by his widow, Ellen P. (Dotterer) Gottshall, a daughter, Elsie, wife of Claude Oaks, Annandale, Va., a son, Nor-

man at home, three grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren and two brothers, Irvin, Willow Grove, and Walter, Germantown.

Services will be conducted at a funeral home at 124 West Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, Monday at 2 p.m. Additional services will be conducted by the Rev. David F. Longaker in St. John's Lutheran church. Interment will be in the Fairview cemetery in Boyertown.

Mr. Gottshall was 77 years old at the time of his death.

BUDHIST RITES SET

BHOPAL, Central India, Nov. 26 (AP)—More than 1000 guests from Buddhist countries of the world are expected at the sacred ceremony re-installing the relics of two famed Buddhist disciples, Sariputra and Moggalana, Saturday and Sunday at nearby Sanchi.

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WE'LL BE LOOKING FOR YOU!

Thanksgiving Day Dinner to Come From Freezer Due to Tonsillectomies

Not an oven but a freezer will produce Thanksgiving dinner today at the James Duggers' trailer in Sanatoga Trailer park, Thomas Jefferson highway.

Two of the three Duggers—James, 30, and James Jr., 6, were admitted yesterday to Memorial hospital for tonsillectomies.

While Mrs. Dugger expects her husband and son home today; she doesn't plan to feed them turkey. "I'm going to have a gallon of vanilla ice cream—and that's all," she laughed.

For her own dinner, she added, she may add some scrambled eggs.

BOTH DUGGERS have been planning to scrap their tonsils for

Chester County Man Asks to Be Jailed as Protest to Treatment

At some time, she said, and picked Thanksgiving Eve because it was a school and work holiday.

Mrs. Dugger is glad they elected to undergo surgery as a team. "As patients they're both problems at any time," she pointed out, "and I'm much happier to get this over with all at once."

Dugger, a sprinkler fitter, and his family move around the country, on contracting jobs with his employer, the Rockwood Sprinkler company. They arrived in Pottstown over a month ago, and will remain a year, while the firm completes a project at Firestone.

They've been on the road for six years, and for trailer living. Mrs. Dugger says, "We've had an easy time of it—not a single accident."

Last Thanksgiving, she recalled, she cooked a turkey dinner in Middletown, N.Y., and she has no idea where she'll be on "Turkey Day" 1953.

The Duggers, who have been stationed all over the east coast, are natives of Elizabethton, Tenn.

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HOSPITAL MEALS —

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ments and individuals.

SEAWELL SAID, "We've had to buy only one or two turkeys in the more than six years I've been here."

He added that Leevengood and Clover Leaf dairies, Schulz Baking company and Laurel Locks farms are just four of many contributors.

Two of the hospital's trustees, George M. Longaker and Lawrence E. Orgill, are perennial turkey donors, he said.

Dan Unger, Boyertown fruit grower, sends bushels of apples for every Thanksgiving dinner,

and other firms send fruit and candy, too, Seawell said.

He said many residents also send turkeys, but did not want to name them for fear of missing some.

"WE TRY to make the holiday as festive as we can," he said.

Part of the arrangements, for the approximately 100 patients at Pottstown hospital who will be served tomorrow, include decorated dinner trays.

Seawell said Girl Scouts and members of the Deb-Aides and Teen-Aides at the hospital have made paper favors to be placed on each patient's tray.

Dinner will be served at about 11:30 a.m., he said.

POLLICK SAID his institution receives turkeys from almost the same sources as does Pottstown hospital.

Mrs. Catherine R. Fertig, hospital dietician at Memorial hospital, said about 40 patients will be served dinner at 11:15 o'clock this morning.

She said "Many of the patients hurried to get out of the hospital so they could be home for the holiday."

The dietician said "We try to do what we can to make things as much like they would be at the patients' homes."

BOTH HOSPITALS will serve standard Thanksgiving fare, but Memorial's patients will have home-made pumpkin pie.

Mrs. Fertig said Mrs. Edna Rubrecht, day cook, is baking about 20 pies "just in case anybody wants seconds."

FOOD BASKETS —

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baskets for food were passed out by the Salvation Army. The baskets varied in size according to the number in the family they were sent to, but each one contained a plump chicken. Fresh and canned fruits and vegetables; bread and oleomargarine filled the rest of the baskets.

The annex was approved by the board to handle the growing need for additional classroom space.

BUSINESS ADVANCES

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Bender Re-Elected for 3d Term As Keystone Firemen's President

LeRoy B. Bender, 37 South Read-treasurer; Leonard Shollenberger, ing avenue, was re-named unop-foreman; Russell Dotterer, first posed to his third term as presi-dent; Ernest Hummer, assistant foreman; Ernest Hummer, second assistant foreman; Leonard Shollenberger, trustee for three years. John McNeil was named as-sistant recording secretary to Ben-field replacing Hummer.

The only office where any com-petition exists for the post is that of financial secretary which finds Henry L. Frey Jr., 19 East Fourth street, opposing the incumbent, J. Walter Heacock, 334 East Philadel-phia avenue.

Nevin H. Benfield, 129 North Schaeffer street, was renamed to his tenth successive term as recording secretary of the com-pany.

Other officers renamed were: Daniel Moyer, first vice president; Murray M. Campbell, second vice president; Lawrence M. Sands,

Surprise Shower Held for Couple In Reading Home

Mrs. Donald Shaffer, 400 East Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, was honored at a surprise stork shower recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Shaffer, Read-ing.

The room of the Shaffer home was decorated with yellow and green streamers. All the gifts were placed in a bassinette which was a gift from the hostess, Mrs. John Shaffer, and co-hostess, Mrs. Sarah Clouser.

Each guest attending received a small basket filled with candy which included a pair of pink and blue baby shoes tied to the handle of each basket.

Following the opening of the gifts, a buffet luncheon was served. Those present were: Mrs. Catherine Miller, Mrs. Clara Wernick, Mrs. Elizabeth Rogers, Mrs. Betty Trzacyk, Mrs. Mary Lou Gery, Mrs. Florence Shaffer, Mrs. Anita Miller, Mrs. Anna Mandy, Mrs. Maude Steffe, Mrs. Marion Kline, Mrs. Jean Hamaker, Mrs. Betty Jeskie, Mrs. Mary Jane Wertz, Mrs. Jane Rogers, Mrs. Catherine Dix, Mrs. Hettie Wardenski, Mrs. Miriam Doward, the guest of honor and the hostesses.

Stratocruiser Makes Landing in Emergency

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil, Nov. 26 (AP) — A Pan American stratocruiser with 21 passengers and a crew of eight aboard made a safe emergency landing at Galileo airport today. It had taken off for Montevideo but the pilot turned back when he found the landing gear in the plane's nose defective.

The plane cruised around the airport three hours to exhaust the gasoline supply before making the landing. A small fire developed in the front wheel mechanism but it was put out immediately by firemen. No one was injured.

CRITICISM RENEWED

MOSCOW, Nov. 26 (AP) — The Soviet press today renewed its criticism of India's United Nations resolution, a mere copy of an American one.

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6 Birthdays Noted At Turkey Dinner by Boydertown Couple

Six birthdays were celebrated at a recent turkey dinner held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fritz, Pottstown RD 3, with Mrs. Fritz and her sister, Mrs. Kathryn Beck, 2 p. m., from a funeral home at 111 North Reading avenue, Boydertown, serving as hostesses.

The birthdays of the following persons were celebrated: Charles Grim, Laureldale; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gottshall, 34 East Fifth street, Boydertown; Henry Fritz, Pottstown RD 3, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Reifsnyder, 503 East Third street, Boydertown.

In addition to the above celebra-tants, the following attended the dinner: Mrs. Charles Grim, Laureldale; Mrs. and Mrs. Paul Herring and children, Karen, Marcia and Paula, Kutztown; Edward Beck, 319 East Philadelphia avenue, Boydertown, and the hostesses.

The Rev. David F. Longacre, pastor of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church, Boydertown, "Now Thank We All Our God," officiated.

Interment was made in Union cemetery, Boydertown.

Bearers were Warren M. Smith, Jr. John Rothmer, Robert Weller and John Hunsberger.

Services for LAURA Y. (CONRAD) BECHTEL, widow of Rich-ard S. Bechtel, PIKE TOWNSHIP, BOYERTOWN RD 1, were held yesterday at 2 p. m., from a funeral home at 124 West Philadelphia avenue, Boydertown.

The Rev. Luther Lee Lengel, pastor of St. Joseph's (Hill) Luth-eran church, officiated.

Interment was made in Hill Church cemetery.

Bearers were Abraham Yoder, Abraham Carl, John Rohrbach, Warren Rohrbach, Jacob Hilbert and William Yingling.

The Rev. Wm. H. Solly, Re-formed pastor, will conduct services in Trinity Union church on Sunday at 2 p. m. Sunday school will meet at 10 a. m., at which time election of officers will be held. The list of nominees for offices was presented on Sunday by a nominating committee consisting of LaVerne Miller, chair-man; Mrs. Elva Moser, Mrs. Mabel Fry, Mrs. Naomi Miller, Abraham Conrad, Earl H. Drumheller and Aaron H. Rohrbach.

Mrs. Martha Kehl, president

of the Ladies auxiliary of the Key-stone Fire company held in the company's meeting room. Officers

were, a beautiful birthday cake do-

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License Plate Switcher Arrested by Bally Police

Raymond S. Swinehart, Barto RD 1, was arrested by the Bally Chief of Police, Edwin W. Gehris, on

Tuesday night at 7:40 p. m., for switching license plates between two cars owned by Swinehart.

The Bally police chief caught Swinehart switching plates near a Bally garage.

Swinehart will be arraigned be-fore Justice of the Peace Ivan Snyder and will be subject to a fine of \$25 plus costs.

3 Carloads of Ammunition Blow Up in Switch Yard

CHALONS-SUR-MARNE, France, Nov. 26 (AP)—Three carloads of US Army ammunition blew up in a railway switch yard here today, setting fire to 25 freight cars on adjoining tracks and ripping up 20 lengths of rail.

US Army ordnance and bomb

demolition experts probed the still

burning ruins tonight in an effort

to learn whether sabotage caused

the blast.

Though the damage was exten-sive, no one was injured.

Day said he would have to use

Reading company trains and Philadel-phia Transportation company

service. He said the inconvenience

would amount to the PTC fare and

loss of 20 to 30 minutes of work or

rest daily. If you value your time,

half an hour a day amounts to a

substantial sum of money in a year,

Day said.

DUKE ARRIVES

VALETTA, Malta, Nov. 26 (AP)—The Duke of Edinburgh arrived by

plane today to present the queen's

colors to three commando units

who have returned to this Medi-terranean fortress island from service

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+++ SCHOOL DAYS +++

— In Pottstown Elementary Schools —

Book Week Is Marked; Lending Library Begun

Since we have received many new books, and since this is Book Week, we have started our lending library. Dick Potts is our librarian and all the books must be returned to him to be put on the shelves.

Books may be kept from Friday until Wednesday.

With Thanksgiving season here, we have made a list of things for which we are thankful. Every child added one thing. We will learn to read the list.

Teacher Plays Auto Harp For Second Grade Pupils

The second grade teacher, Mrs. Richardson, played the auto harp for the boys and girls. The children sang "America," "Over the River and Thru the Woods," and "Home on the Range."

David Koval had his seventh birthday on November 18.

Bobby Hartenstein brought a machine which made designs. He can make a design in 4 minutes.

To Fight Return



Harold J. Adonis, former executive clerk to New Jersey's Gov. Alfred E. Driscoll, said in Amsterdam, Holland, that he would fight extradition to the United States, where he is under indictment on bribery charges. Adonis was indicted by a Bergen County, N.J., grand jury on a charge of accepting \$228,000 in bribes to cripple a gambling investigation.

Parolee Weds Girl From Pottstown as Waiver Is Granted

Fred A. Spiezio, 20, of Douglassville, in the county prison since the past Friday night after his apprehension as a parole violator, and Doris L. Sizer, 16, of 225 West High street, Pottstown, who had been at Montgomery Hall since the same time, were wed in Montgomery Hall, Jeffersonville, by Magistrate Charles Gorman, Norristown.

The youth and the girl returned from a trip to Kentucky the past week. Because Spiezio, on probation as a result of a theft accusation, was ruled a parolee for having left the jurisdiction without notifying his parole supervisors, he was picked up.

Juvenile Court authorities and the parents of the youthful couple conferred with them and learned their intentions to marry.

A waiver on the three-day waiting period was granted and the license issued immediately.

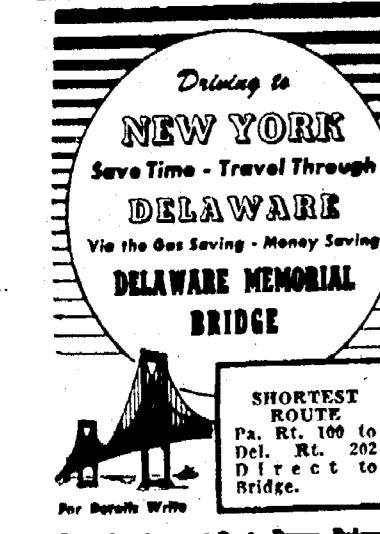
Left Rear Fender Damaged in Wreck

The left rear fender of an auto driven by a South street man was damaged when struck by a car on Evans street near King street at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Howard C. Seasholtz, 1082 South street, told Patrolman Michael Shanta he was pulling out of a parking space and his car was struck by an auto driven by Rodney E. Youse, Pottstown RD 2.

Youse told Shanta he saw Seasholtz leaving the parking space as he was driving north, but thought he would stop in time to avoid an accident.

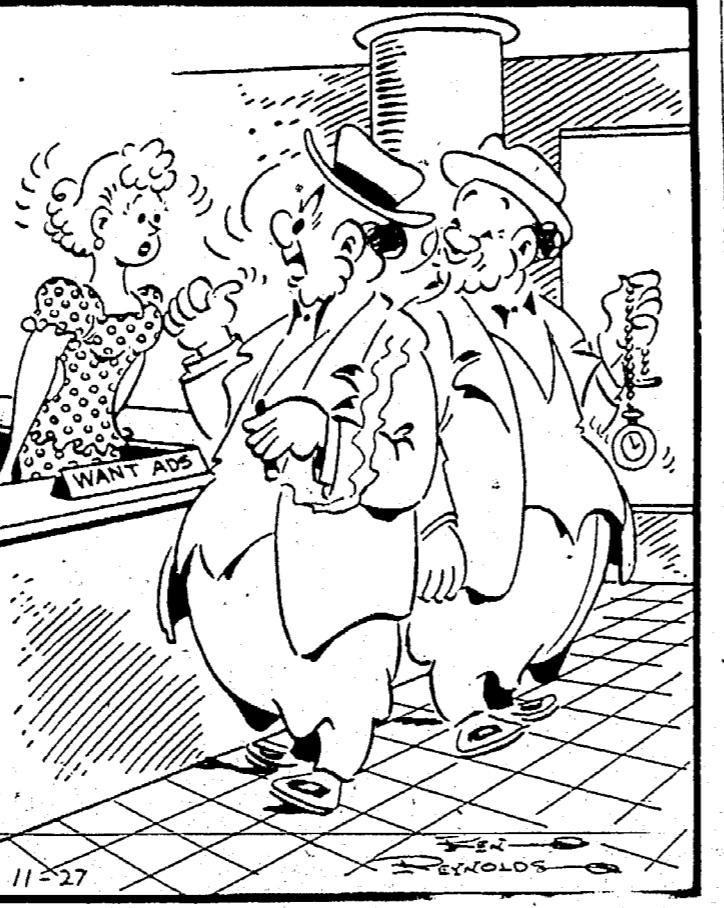
Some of the craters of the moon are as much as 140 miles across.



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QUICKIES

By Ken Reynolds



"He won't give me my watch until I offer a reward for it in The Mercury Want Ads!"

Minute Men Hear How Local Revenue Is Received, Spent

Sixteen members of the Pottstown Minute Men heard Horace B. Gulden, borough manager, specify how the borough's \$500,000 revenue for 1951 was received and spent, at the organization's monthly luncheon meeting yesterday.

The next day each of us wrote her a letter to thank her and to tell her how much we enjoyed her visit.

Streamlining Move

Announced for VA

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26 (AP)—A shake-up aimed at bringing about streamlining, a yearly saving of perhaps 10 million dollars, and better service in the sprawling Veterans administration was announced today by Veterans Administrator Carl R. Gray.

At the same time, Gray turned loose a long-secret private survey of the VA made by a private firm and said he was rejecting one of its principal proposals—that VA regional offices be reduced largely to information and advisory centers at a saving of another 15 million.

The report, made by the Chicago management consultant firm of Booz, Allen and Hamilton, blasted VA as trying to operate on an "outmoded" organization plan while praising it as "performing an excellent job" with no "basic dereliction of its duty and responsibility."

Churchwoman Is Still

In Critical Condition

Mrs. Charles H. Shomo, 107 West Walnut street, was still in critical condition late yesterday.

"Aunt Tillie," as the veteran church leader is affectionately known, has been critically ill since she was stricken with a second heart attack on Nov. 11.

The recent stroke caused a paralysis of her right side. In her weakening condition she occasionally lapses into semi-consciousness.

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Pottstown Portraits

A Quick Look at Your Neighbor

By FRED SELBY and LARRY DAVIS

EDWARD L. PENNYPACKER, 952 Queen street, is one of those rare individuals who has been able to make himself at home on such widely-different terrain as a football field and a gift shop.

Pennypacker, who now is insurance representative of Pottstown Automobile club, conceals under a polite, quiet-spoken exterior a record as a bruising tackle on the football team of Pottstown Senior High school, from which he was graduated in 1932.

Captain of the football team in his Senior year, he was a three-letter athlete, being on the basketball team and throwing the shot and hurling the javelin for the track team. Pennypacker now confines his athletics to fishing, but he still weighs little more than he did in high school, 170 pounds.

After high school, he learned the machinist trade in Birdsboro Steel Foundry and Machine company's plant, where he was employed for six years; and was an inspector for the Navy and then for E. G. Budd company in Philadelphia.

During World War II, he spent two years in the Air Force, studying maintenance and inspection.

"I spent almost all that time training," he said. "They must have thought I was a dumb bunny, the way they kept sending me to school."

He was at Air Force bases in Biloxi, Miss.; Denver, Colo.; Long Beach, Calif.; Lake Charles, La., and Chanute field, Ill.

Feeling somewhat over-trained, Pennypacker could whip up little enthusiasm for a civilian aviation career when the war ended, so he took a job with American Casualty company's office in Reading, studying casualty insurance underwriting.

Three years ago, he joined the automobile club, working both for the club and its affiliate, Pottstown Automobile Insurance agency. He said he thought the outstanding feature of his job was the stress it puts on safety problems.

He said his major leisuretime activity is helping his wife, the former Marian A. Zollers, a Pottstown girl, with her gift shop, The Little Shop, 77 South Keim street.

Pennypacker, whose nickname has been "Penny" as far back as he can remember, is a member of Trinity Reformed church; Pottstown Lodge 814, BPOE, and Pottstown Lions club.

His parents are dead. He was raised by an aunt, Mrs. William Young, 538 Chestnut street. He said with a typically quiet smile, "She deserves all the credit, if any credit is due."

Mr. and Mrs. Pennypacker have an 8-year-old daughter, Patricia.

POTTSTOWN Optometrist Dr. Elmer S. Friedberg came out of Camden, N. J. high school right at the depth of the great depression. But that economic disaster had nothing to do with his ultimate aim in the professional world.

Rather, it was a neighbor in Camden's Parkside area that kept Dr. Elmer Friedberg from becoming a dentist. He might have followed in the footsteps of other members of his family had it not been for the enthusiasm of an older boy attending optometric school in Philadelphia.

The friend talked optometry to such a degree whenever the two got together, made the field sound so fascinating, that Dr. Friedberg abandoned his thoughts of a career in dentistry and turned instead to the science of examining the human eye.

Some years later, at the close of World War II, a chance meeting in Philadelphia brought him to this community where he has plunged into the civic life of the borough. Among other activities he is Blood Service chairman for the Northern Branch of the Red Cross' Southeastern Pennsylvania chapter and is co-chairman of the Sight Conservation committee of the Pottstown Lions club.

Dr. Friedberg was born in Camden the son of Edward and Anna (Caplan) Friedberg on March 24, 1917. His father is a retired real estate broker who spent 30 years in his profession. There is one brother, Joseph.

At Camden High school where he took the academic course, Dr. Friedberg became interested in amateur dramatics and—as he describes it—was an athlete of sorts.

Relating his sports career in typical whimsical fashion, he notes with mock seriousness that he played a line position on the school's fourth football team. "I got into one game for two minutes when Camden led a hundred and something to nothing. It nearly killed me!" And as a varsity tennis player he "got a little letter."

Graduated in 1933, Dr. Friedberg entered the Pennsylvania State College of Optometry from which he received his degree in 1938.

While studying "across the river" he continued his interest in community dramatic presentations. Upon earning his shingle, he opened a practice at Pennsgrove until his enlistment in the Army Air Corps in July 1941.

He served a total of four and one half years in service as an officer and received training in navigation, gunnery and armament. On the side, so to speak, he made use of his professional training by assisting the flight surgeon in the vision problems of the personnel in his organization. He flew 18 missions with the 410th Bomb group out of England and France for which he received the Air Medal and the Presidential Unit citation.

Dr. Friedberg still is active in Air Force circles and as a reserve major is commanding officer of Pottstown Flight "C," of the 954th Volunteer Air Reserve Training squadron.

Out of the Air Force in December 1945, he happened to meet Dr. F. F. Meyers, Pottstown optometrist, when both were visiting at the American Optical company. Ten months later, he had reason to remember the meeting when Dr. Meyers invited him here as an associate.

Dr. Friedberg is vice president of the Berks county Optometric society and is past vice president of the Pennsylvania Optometric association. He is a member of Stichter Lodge F and AM, the Rajah Shrine, Reading Consistory, the Air Force association and the Pottstown Aircraft Owners and Pilots' association. He is licensed to pilot commercial single and multi-engine land airplanes.

He was married Aug. 4, 1951, to the former Suzanne Marella, of Philadelphia, whom he had met through an acquaintance. The couple resides at 386 North Hale street.

Dr. Friedberg is five feet, 10 inches tall, weighs 160 pounds, has gray eyes and brown wavy hair.

Court Awards Boy \$2087 for Injuries

By Staff Correspondent

NORRISTOWN, Nov. 26—Judge William F. Dannehower today approved settlement of a civil claim brought by an 18-year-old East Greenville boy against two residents of Pennsylvania.

He agreed to an award of \$2087 for James H. Grier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Linwood W. Grier, of East Greenville, from Robert L. Walters and Stella M. Smith, both of Pennsylvania.

The boy was riding with Walters in the Smith car on Nov. 12, 1951, when it sideswiped three parked cars. Judge J. Burnett Holland in Or-when it sideswiped three parked cars. Judge J. Burnett Holland in Or-

Hill. His injuries kept him a patient in the Allentown Hospital for a long period.

Out of the settlement, Grier receives \$593.60 for pain and suffering and \$1493.40 for medical expenses.

\$78,000 Balance Given To Schumacher Widow

By Staff Correspondent

NORRISTOWN, Nov. 26—A balance of \$78,047.06 of the estate of Raymond A. Schumacher, Pottstown, was awarded to Cora R. Schumacher, his widow, in an adjudication handed down today by Judge J. Burnett Holland in Or-

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OBITUARIES

THE REV. PETER HERMES, former administrator of the Most Blessed Sacrament Catholic church, Bally, died Tuesday at Sacred Heart hospital, ALLENTEWON. He was 71.

Father Hermes was administrator at the Bally church from 1934 until the past May 22, when he retired because of ill health. He maintained his residence at the church.

Son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Heinrich Hermes was born in Holt, Germany.

Three universities in Germany provided the educational background for Father Hermes preparing him for the priesthood. He studied at the University of Munich, the University of Munster and the University of Bonn.

Father Hermes was ordained in Philadelphia in 1913 by Bishop McCarron.

From 1913 to 1916 he served at St. Alphonsus Catholic church, Philadelphia. After leaving St. Alphonsus, he was a priest in the St. Bonaventura Catholic church parish, Philadelphia, for 11 years.

From St. Bonaventura's parish he was transferred to the Assumption-Catholic church at Slatington, near Allentown, where he remained for seven years as rector before going to the Bally parish.

He is survived by two brothers in Germany and a niece, Mrs. Mary Hartman, Philadelphia.

Divine office will be held at 10:30 a.m. Monday, followed by a solemn requiem high mass at the Most Blessed Sacrament Catholic church, Bally, at 11 a.m. Bishop J. Carroll McCormick, auxiliary bishop of Philadelphia, will preside at the services.

EFFIE B. (RAU) BUCKWALTER, 74, of 963 HIGH STREET, widow of Clarence A. Buckwalter, died at 2:05 o'clock yesterday afternoon in Memorial hospital.

She was admitted to the hospital this past Nov. 21 and had been in ill health for the past 18 months. For more than 30 years she had

Grange Celebrates Thanksgiving Holiday

New Hanover Grange observed Thanksgiving Day last night with songs and speeches in celebration of the holiday.

The Grange was entertained with several musical numbers by children of its members and a dance by Pamela Fine.

The holiday air was interrupted with a short business session presided over by the new master, Willis Hetrick, with the naming of committee chairman and the naming of John Moyer as purchasing agent.

Selected to head committees were: Sara Steltz, home economics; Dorothy Geisler, flowers; Beatrice Smale, publicity; Roger Moyer, legislative; Herbert Wagner, membership; Nora Romig, music; Dorothy Blank, youth; and Ralph Geisler, ways and means.

LUDWIGS CORNER

Mrs. H. J. Ash, corr. Phone Eagle 8-5245. Del. Edwin Kurtz 3271-W.

The choirs and music class of St. Matthew's Lutheran church will present an Advent musical Dec. 14.

Mrs. Alice Scott, Philadelphia was a Saturday night guest of Mrs. Charles Ranck. On Sunday morning she met friends in St. Matthew's Reformed church.

The Fellowship Class of St. Matthew's Lutheran Sunday school met Monday evening with Mrs. I. Newton Evans Jr. Those present were: Mrs. David Merroth, Mrs. Oliver Mosteller, Mrs. C. Ray Woodland, Edna Rogers, Mrs. Jack Bowman, Mrs. James Shaw, Mrs. Lawrence Smith and Mrs. H. Raymond McBride Jr. Mrs. Smith was welcomed as a new member. The Christmas party will be held in the home of Mrs. Cyrus Dries.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tell and son, Bobby, Media, were callers of Mr. and Mrs. H. Raymond McBride and family.

Members of the Missionary so-

Korea Hero Weds



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Ora A. Slider, corr. Del. Edwin Turtz 3271-W.

The Sunshine Bible class of East Nantmeal Baptist church held its November meeting in the home of Mrs. Evan Eyrich of Loags.

Mrs. John Saudiford led the devotions. It was decided by the 20

members present to hold a Christ-

mas party at the next meeting in December.

T. K. Millard, C. E. Slider and Wayne Millard attended the annual Masonic meeting in Honey Brook.

Mrs. Irma Butler was a house

guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Seal, Elverston.

Mrs. Ada Strickland returned to

her home in Pottstown after spend-

ing some time with J. H. Snyder

was not disclosed.

An Army statement said he was

last seen on Monday after

a few days with Mrs. M. A. John-

son and family.

James Snyder, Wilmington, spent

a few days with his parents, Mr.

from the surrounding Russian zone,

and a representative of the Phila-

and Mrs. J. H. Snyder. Mr. Snyder, who has been confined to bed for sometime is improving slowly.

Mrs. Daniel Madela, corr. Phone

Birdsboro 2-4023. Albert Schulze Jr., son, and Mrs. Max Knorpp and

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Transue

have moved to the former Moser

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Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Oberholzer

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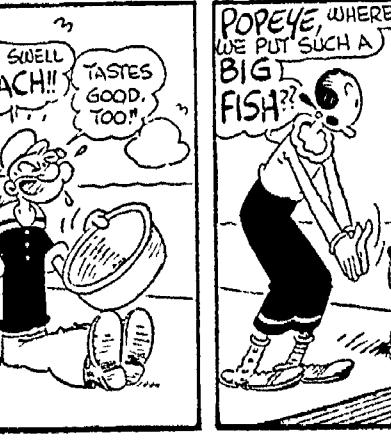
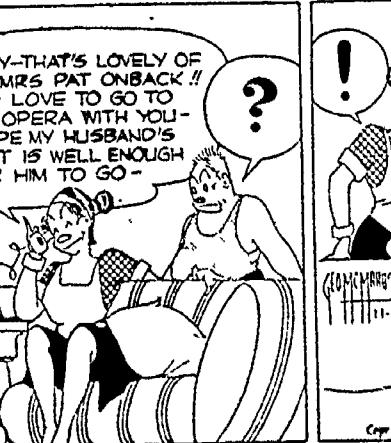
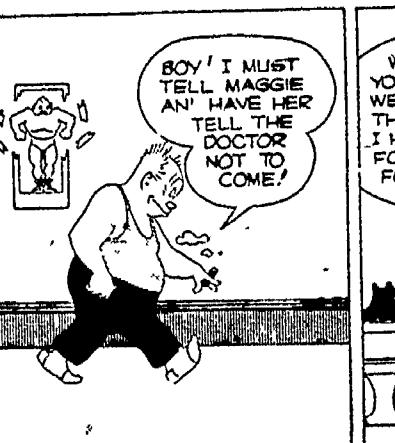
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BRINGING UP FATHER



Ruth Neiman and Arthur Summers Exchange Nuptial Vows at Evening Service

At a candlelit ceremony last night in Zion's Reformed church, Ruth Neiman, Pottstown, became the bride of Arthur Summers, Malvern.

Mrs. Herman Neiman, 480 North

Charlotte street, is the mother of the bride. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Summers, 110 West Broad street.

The Rev. Howard Kosman, pastor, officiated at the single

wedding service, witnessed by close friends and the immediate family.

For her wedding, the bride wore a street-length gown of gold colored wool jersey. Its high neck-

line

was finished with a softly rolled collar, while its long sleeve bodice topped a gathered skirt.

Her forest green velour hat matched her suede pumps and

she wore a corsage of cymbidiums. Immediately after the ceremony, the bride and groom left for their honeymoon in Atlantic City.

After Dec. 1, they will be at home in the residence of the bride's

parents; 460 North Charlotte street.

The bride, a graduate of Pottstown High school, is an employee in The Mercury's circulation department.

J. Bishop and company, Malvern, are the groom's employers.

St. John's Club Models Display 60 Winter Outfits

St. John's models paraded through Winter and into Spring with a showing of over 60 styles Tuesday evening in the auditorium of St. John's Catholic church of the Greek Rite.

Casual clothes and grand ball gowns were displayed, as well as outfitts for all occasions inbetween. The show was sponsored by the church's Ladies' club.

Alethea Houser was commentator for the review of 1953 fashions, and Mrs. John Shanta Jr. headed the arrangements committee.

Leading off in the first of the casual costumes, Jane Hanth wore a white sweater set with a grey skirt. Marie Artim matched a pair of sweaters to a pale grey skirt.

Another sweater set, topping a

brown wool tweed skirt, was modeled by Frances Hanth, and Irene Corbett showed the dressier side of separates with a black velvet skirt and boucle blouse.

For fraternity house parties and after-game dances, Shirley Corbett nominated a blue boucle blouse worn with a skirt of iridescent taffeta.

Classic black and white was modeled by Ann Chintala, whose velvet skirt and boucle blouse were worn beneath a white knitted coat sweater.

Biggest fashion show of the season are the no-press fabrics, and Helen Dinnocenti appeared in an iron-alergic orlon pleated frock of grey.

Another classic style, in wool gabardine, was shown by Eve

Leck, and Elizabeth Galamba displayed a two-piece suit in grey tweed.

Dorothy Glanski wore grey menswear flannel, and Ann Gerhart chose a classic frock of aqua spun rayon.

Tailored outfits continued popular as Mary Stropko took to the stage wearing a brown dress, and Irene Kopche modeled a simply-lined gown of two-tone grey wool.

Red plaid and grey frost point was chosen by Barbara Grove, and Roz Zezenksi showed off a two-piece white wool knitted suit for casual or dressy occasions.

Ann Staversky presented a coat dress in magnolia shade, and Nancy Whiteco was ready for cocktail tails in a warm two-piece suit of

red velvet.

Helen Shanta chose white bengaline for her important suit, and Jeanette Pastalak appeared wearing a blue coat suit.

Jane Hanth trotted down-stage in a pink flannel, poodle-cloth dress.

Marie Artim's magnolia white dress was cut in a halter style and had matching bolero for the covered-up look.

A black cocktail gown with a buoyant balloon hemline worn by Frances Hanth gave way to the gowns of Shirley and Irene Corbett. Shirley's pink taffeta was cut with a scoop neckline; Irene's black taffeta was strapless—but she carried a more jacket.

Black was a favorite with Elizabeth Galamba, too. Her

gown featured a combination of ribbon lace and velvet. Another halter dress with a jacket appeared in a provoking black and white print worn by Helen Dinnocenti.

Unusual and brilliant colors were worn by Ann Chintala, who chose an iridescent royal blue, and Mary Stopko, in bittersweet crepe. Bronze iridescent matelasse in a two-piece combination was shown by Eve Leck.

Dorothy Glanski chose a soft beige wool and brown taffeta frock for her stage appearance. A rich blue velvet suit was Ann Gerhart's choice. Deep purple in a taffeta fitted gown was paraded by Barbara Grove.

Separates, a black wool jersey blouse and a white skirt, were Irene Kopche's contribution to the fashion line. Red embroidery was a vivid trim on Roz Zezenksi's black taffeta dress.

Black velvet framed Ann Staversky's face when she walked in the limelight wearing a beige taffeta. Nancy Whiteco's black ribbed lace had velvet trim, too.

Blue moire with black trim and cut with a scoop neckline was shown by Helen Shanta. Lace and sequins in blue were picked off by Jeanette Pastalak.

A pink and black lace frock was modeled by Elizabeth Galamba; Mary Stropko wore a navy crepe styled with beads, pink trim and a jacket.

Helen Dinnocenti modeled a mauve brocade and tulle gown of floor length while Ann Chintala chose a ballerina length gown of black taffeta.

Jane Hanth appeared in another full length gown of shrimp tulle, and again a ballerina gown of pink velvet and tulle modeled by Marie Artim. Ann Gerhart wore an emerald green and antique gold gown; Frances Hanth, a pink yarn dyed taffeta with rhinestone trim. Irene Corbett modeled a white

clad flower girl and decked in a velvet suit. George Satco Jr. played the part of ringbearer.

Ushers for the show were Margaret Foley, Dot Glanski, Ann Gerhart and Irene Horasky.

Pete Leck, Michael Leck, Ann Staversky and Ann Kish decorated the stage.

tulle gown with ballerina length pleated skirt; Shirley Corbett also wore a ballerina gown of red taffeta and tulle. Eve Leck chose a shrimp embroidered tulle, and Dorothy Glanski, a white tulle with gold trim.

Roz Zezenksi modeled a floor length gown with a white tiered tulle skirt and gold sequins. Tulle again appeared in the emerald ballerina gown of Barbara Grove.

A cornflower blue taffeta was shown by Ann Staversky and a seashell taffeta with gold embroidery by Nancy Whiteco. Helen Shanta modeled a white and green full length gown and Jeanette Pastalak wore one of white with a sequin scroll.

Suggested for New Year's Eve by Ann Chintala was a pink and black lace frock with a bouffant, ballerina-length skirt. Helen Dinnocenti swept across the stage in a floor-length gown of blue tulle with silver sequin trimming.

For sophisticated occasions and first night operas, Marie Artim, selected a moulded gown of deep purple. Ann Gerhart chose a dancing flock of black velvet with white ruffles and a red taffeta skirt.

Climaxing the style show was a presentation of gowns for an entire party, centered around Roz Zezenksi as the bride in traditional white satin and lace.

Posing as honor attendant, Jeanette Pastalak wore a green gown, and the four bridesmaids, Frances Hanth, Jan Hanth, Shirley Corbett and Helen Shanta wore blue, shrimp, champagne and bronze.

Phyllis Malak was the green-clad flower girl and decked in a velvet suit. George Satco Jr. played the part of ringbearer.

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MR. AND MRS. ARTHUR SUMMERS

DARs Set Services at Valley Forge Today

Local Daughters of the American Revolution will attend Thanksgiving services today, 11 o'clock, at the bell tower to commemorate the recent placing of its final stone.

Pottstown DARs helped build the tower, which will house the Washington Memorial National Carillon, consisting of 56 bells.

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BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bartman, 607 South street, are the parents of a daughter, born yesterday at Pottstown hospital.

In Reading hospital yesterday, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rightmyer, Boyertown RD 2, became the parents of a daughter.

After the meeting, the girls of the band, under the supervision of Thelma Robinson, Home Economics teacher, served refreshments to the 18 mothers present.

Mr. Schinstine, then invited the mothers to attend a band rehearsal.

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Junior High Band Mother's Club Organizes

Mothers of Junior High school band members met Tuesday afternoon in the school cafeteria to reorganize the band mother's club which was formed last year.

William Schinstine, band director, opened the meeting with a welcome talk and a resume on the functions of the club.

Officers elected for the school term are as follows: Mrs. Charles Rohland, president; Mrs. Saylor

Carol Mertz Surprised By Party on 6th Birthday A circus train cake chugged down the birthday table in celebration of Carol Ann Mertz's sixth year. Carol is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Mertz.

Winners of prizes at the surprise party were Gail Harp and Merrie Powell.

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Business-Professional Panel Discusses Structure of United Nations

A panel discussion on the United Nations highlighted the Pottstown Business and Professional Women's club dinner meeting in the Cloverleaf Tea Room yesterday evening at 6:30 o'clock.

Velma Blefgen spoke on the General Assembly, main body of the UN. The Security council was outlined by Patricia Reis.

E. Mabel Royer discussed the

Economic and Social council, and its ten special agencies. The main objective of the council, she said, is promotion of the welfare of people in every country.

The powers of the Trusteeship council and Court of International Justice were explained by Alma I. Klink, the fourth member of the panel.

Doris Hohl told of the International Secretariat of the UN as its administrative organization.

Elizabeth E. Stevenson, chairman of the International Relations committee of the club, acted as moderator of the program.

The first prize and the popular vote prize in the Table Setting con-

test sponsored by Oliver Lewis Christman were presented to the Pottstown Business and Professional Women's club by Mr. Christman.

These prizes were: Wedgewood China, "Blue Grape" pattern and "Wellesley" pattern. Mrs. Eleanor M. Stauffer and Dorothy D. Barkel were co-chairmen of the club's table.

Hazel Weber Rohrbach was elected to membership. The next meeting will be in the form of a Christmas party to be held Dec. 10 at the Cloverleaf Tea Room. The Music committee, Myrna Fry, chairman, will be in charge of the party.

Those present were: Dorothy

Barkel, Velma Blefgen, Mary Ivesen, Elizabeth Reigner, Patricia Smith, Eleanor Stauffer, Elizabeth Campbell, Arlotha Cross, Mary Reis, Mabel Royer, Mary Schaefer, Stevenson, Elizabeth Ware, Luifer, Ruth Sherer, Alice Sheppard, Alice Williams, Dorothy Yohn, Martha Shoemaker, Florence Zinn, Florence Decker, Susan Smale, Margaret Smale, Leonora Shoemaker and Pauline Anderson.

Presbyterian Guild Circle 5 to Donate Gifts to Hospital

Guild circle 5 of First Presbyterian church met Tuesday in the church house. Plans were made for the Christmas party to be held at the next meeting. Members are to bring gifts wrapped in white for the Presbyterian hospital boys and girls plus an exchange gift.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Albert Brown and Jean Brown for the party in their Douglassville home. Stanley Davenport spoke to the circle on four kinds of hobbies.

Election of officers was held with all officers being re-elected. Mrs. Leonard Ebert is president, Mrs. Edward Schumacher, vice-president; Mrs. William Glennie, secretary, and Mrs. Edgar Donahauer, treasurer.

Hostesses for Monday's meeting were Mrs. William Yohn and Mrs. Ethelbert Barnard.

WEDDING

ANNIVERSARIES

Today
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hoffman,
903 South street, 38 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eschbach, Pottstown RD 4, 43 years.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Minnick, 15 Chestnut street, 15 years.

Yesterday
Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Wiley, 944 Queen street, 27 years.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hatfield, 561 Lincoln avenue, 48 years.
Mr. and Mrs. James B. Kelly, 84 North Warren street, 18 years.

Trinity Rainbow Class Dates Christmas Banquet

The Rainbow class of Trinity Evangelical Congregational church decided to hold its Christmas banquet on Dec. 9 at 6:30 p.m. in the Cloverleaf restaurant during the meeting Tuesday in the church.

Mrs. Peter Wilhelm and Mrs. Fred Griesemer as co-hostesses, led the devotions which were on the Thanksgiving theme.

The 19 members present chose the meeting places for the coming year.

TIME FOR INSPECTION
It is a good idea to examine Christmas ornaments, wreaths and holly bows quite a few days before Christmas. Then in the last minute rush you will not need to wash and iron old ribbons, dust off artificial holly or centerpieces and ornaments. Sometimes Christmas ornaments are broken when the tree is all set to be trimmed. Give yourself time to replace objects needed for Christmas enjoyment.

Teen-agers will like hot sweet cider with doughnuts when they're having the gang in. When you're heating the cider add a few whole cloves and a stick of cinnamon for spicy flavor. Light brown sugar may also be added for sweetness.

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Discharged: Mrs. Stephen Matichak, 869 South street, maternity; Mrs. Randall Weller, Boyertown RD 1, maternity; Wyne W. Lehr, Bario, surgical; Edward Hurst, 860 North Warren street, medical; Mrs. John Nimmerichter, 180 Sunnyside lane, maternity; Minnie

Spat and Slipper Dance Goers Slate Round of Cocktail Parties

Pottstown hostesses are spending busy Thanksgivings planning pre-and-post-dance parties for the Spat and Slipper Ball night tomorrow. Dancing at the ball itself, in Brookside country club, will begin at 10:30 p.m., to the music of Sylvan Herman's orchestra.

Deco of the affair will feature a

Pigtailers Pick, Cast Play After Volleyball at YWCA

Pigtailers went from sports to drama Tuesday in the YWCA. After volleyball, tryouts were held for "The Second Christmas."

To be presented for an audience of YWCA members, it will be given Thursday, Dec. 11.

Girls who do not act in the play will sing Yule mood-music and help with make-up.

Rehearsals will begin next Tues-

day.

styling cirque theme, planned by the decorations committee under

Mrs. M. B. Edwards and advised by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Patrizi.

At least eight persons have

scheduled cocktail parties be-

fore the ball, which is being

held for the benefit of Potts-

town and Memorial hospitals.

Hosting some of the pre-dance

affairs will be: Mr. and Mrs. C. B.

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dan, Dr. and Mrs. C. R. Ellicker,

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min Longaker, Dr. and Mrs.

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Victor Roberts.

Thanksgiving MENU

Golden Age Club Slates Its Christmas Banquet

Golden Agers are marking half past noon Dec. 15th in their datebooks for the club's annual Christmas banquet in Emmanuel Lutheran church.

Plans were discussed at a meeting Monday in the YWCA gymnasium.

One new member, Mrs. Charles Moyer, Pottstown RD 4, was welcomed by the 125 persons present.

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Papa Bears



Boyertown co-captains, Danny Schoeny (left) and Terry Shaner, will lead the Bears against Upper Perk this morning in the traditional Thanksgiving Day game. End Schoeny and fullback Shaner are both Seniors and will be seeing action of the Boyertown gridiron for the last time. The two have played outstanding ball for Coach Bob Fleming this season, although the Bears have suffered one of their worst campaigns, winning one, tying one and losing five.

3 Scholastic Titles At Stake Today, This Weekend

HARRISBURG, Nov. 26 (AP)—Three more schoolboy football championships ride on the outcome of annual Thanksgiving Day and weekend games which close out the 1952 high school season.

In a playoff contest Saturday, featuring two of the State's five major unbeaten units, powers, Aliquippa faces Washington for the top prize of the AA division of the PIAA.

Lock Haven, defeated for the first time this year the past week by Williamsport, can appoint Ebensburg on top of the Western conference standings with a season-ending triumph over Jersey Shore.

The Central Penn successor to 1951 titlist Williamsport will emerge from the Lancaster-York fray, as York's Bearcats bid for their first conference flag and the best season record in the school's history.

In the big game of the day, Aliquippa is rated a one to two touchdown favorite over Washington. The Indians beat seven double A opponents to Washington's five and look like the successor to Farrell. Washington and Aliquippa were the only two elevens from an original field of 36 to make it through the season without losing or being tied.

MIDLAND HIGH took over the WPIAL Class A title won last year by New Brighton by virtue of a 14-6 decision over German Twp. Monday night.

It was the first championship for the winners and came on the strength of 10 victories in 11 1952 contests.

Carmichael's beat off a late rally to edge Wilmerding, 12-6, for Class B honors of the Pittsburgh Area circuit. McDonald is Class C champ.

The York-Lancaster fray, another of those tradition-spiced turkey day events, is one that might go either way. The choice is York, by the margin of an extra point, or less if that was possible.

Another major conference race, the Eastern, will be decided in a playoff Dec. 6 between either Old Forge or West Scranton and the northern division and Sunbury of the southern division.

Minersville, lost out to Sunbury last night by falling before Coal Twp., 19-6. The Miners had won their first 10 and were out for a perfect season. It was the first time one opponent scored more than one touchdown against Minersville this year since 10 previous foes had registered only 19 points.

That's Backwards?

Doug Dickey, Florida quarterback, netted minus six yards from scrimmage in his first four games yet scored two touchdowns on quarterback sneaks.

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Trojans Meet Whippets in Final Game

Today will be salvage day at Downingtown. The Pottstown Trojans can salvage the remnants of a disappointing season with a victory this morning over the Whippets in the final game of the 1952 campaign. Kickoff time is 10 o'clock.

After starting with a rush, the Blue and White has faltered for successive losses in the last three games and to even its win-loss record for the season, a victory is a must this Thanksgiving morning.

Coach Heeb Meyers introduced 12 of the 13 Seniors to the high school student body yesterday afternoon at a Thanksgiving assembly. Only Walt Axsmith, who will miss today's game because of a broken bone in his foot, was absent at yesterday's introductions.

Saying a few words about each of the Seniors, Coach Meyers explained that the probable reason the team fell short of expectations, was that too much burden was placed on underclassmen, who are now just coming into their own.

With Sophomore Howie Bedell really hitting his stride in recent games and practices, a victory over Downingtown is not out of reach.

Playing their last game in the Blue and White are co-captains, Bob Sutton, Ron Downie and Steve Chernesky. Completing the group are Jack Bechtel (he played in the band at yesterday's event and along with Axsmith was not on the stage), Paul Storko, Bill Garrov,

redhead has shown real drive when called upon. He will also stay in on defense as one of the team's best pass defenders.

Jim Kirk, another Junior will remain at the quarterback post he won as a Sophomore mid-season in 1951. His short passing has been over the .500 mark all year and against Bridgeport he uncovered a knack for running.

A good day by fullback Bedell, could send the speedy Sophomore's halfback spot on offense and yards gained total over the 600 yard mark. In practice Tuesday he showed the same sharpness that man Jack has the main essential of a good ball player—he loves to knock opponents down, whether he has the ball or if it's an opposing runner.

Junior Bill Kerr will open at left halfback and while his ball carrying duties have been limited, the a defender Sutton now backs up

the line in All-Star fashion.

RON DOWDIE, goes both ways playing tackle on offense and guard on defense. Chernesky is Kirk's favorite target as he moves down from his right end spot for short passes, and when Downingtown has the ball, Steve will be at a defensive tackle slot.

Monroe is strictly a defensive performer, handling the right end job while Bechtel is over on the other flank.

Ray Donnelly is another double-duty man, playing tackle on offense and shifting in and out of the line of scrimmage.

Jack Babel, one of the four or five outstanding downfield blockers Meyers was talking about in his assembly address yesterday, continues at the offensive center job he won as a Sophomore last year.

Milt Wensel is the only other Sophomore on the kickoff team. He usually starts at offensive left end and moves to tackle on defense.

Bedell comes in at safety when opponents are forced into a punting formation and his long runs back provide the Trojans with one of their best scoring threats. Kirk was used to defend against passes against Bridgeport and will probably continue in that capacity.

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POTTSTOWN MERCURY



PAGE FOURTEEN THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1952

Bethany Cagers To Begin Jan. 3

The Bethany Saturday afternoon basketball league announces that application may now be made for entry into the league.

Dick Ricketts Sr., director of Bethany center will again head the league. He is the one to contact regarding entrance blanks and other information about the league.

Only boys 16 years of age and younger prior to Jan. 3, 1953 are eligible to play. The schedule will be divided into two halves and a boy may participate with only one team during each half.

All games will be played on the Bethany Recreation Center floor on Saturday afternoons beginning Jan. 3, with the first game starting at 1 o'clock.

Players who are members of the Senior or Junior High varsity or junior varsity squads will not be permitted to play in this league.

Entry blanks must be filled in and returned to Ricketts by Jan. 1

ing from a bad ankle, and Wally Wolfson, out with the gripe last week, will be available for relief chores today.

In comparison, Upper Perk blasted Spring City, 31-12, while the Bears had a scoreless standoff with the Bucs. UP downed Wilson, 24-0, but the Prexies won out, 18-7, at B-town.

Shillington lost to the Yellow Jackets, 24-0, but hit the Bears for a 13-0 decision. Muhlenberg also lost to UP, 26-7, and bounced the Bruins, 40-12. Against Royersford, neither club could claim a win, although UP went down only 12-6, as compared to the 41-6 pasting of Boyertown by the 'Fords.

PROBABLE LINEUPS

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Brown ... RG ... R. Fronheiser

Conrad ... RT ... Kreske

Miller ... RE ... Heyd

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Four defensive standouts in Royersford's 25-7 win over Spring City in 1951 gather around the oval in the above shot to discuss dealing with the Bucs. From left to right we have: Hen Wojton, Junior defensive star back; Captain Nick Innocenti, offensive center, who also backs up the line; Charlie Miller, a de-

fenseman the past year now working fulltime at offensive left half; and quarterback Lou Alexander, who sees spot stopper service. Innocenti and Alexander are Seniors and making their final appearance in 'Ford grid togs.

—Mercury Sportsphoto

for Royersford, including ends Bob Quinn and Jake Troutwine, tackle Al Wolfe, guards Mark Horner and Tad Tyson and captain and center Nick Innocenti, Gary Grater and Lou Alexander, half the backfield, graduate along with defense man Paul Kahl.

Claire Hunter, another line sub who has seen a lot of duty this year, is also playing his final grid lift for the Eagles.

The 'Fords, after a second straight win over the Pirates to pair with the past year's 25-7 win, are at least a three-touchdown choice here. They won't necessarily out hustle the Bucs, but they outweigh them, they outexperience them, and they've outwon them to coin a few new words of ours drummed up for the occasion.

Comparatively, the 'Fords 7-2 bailed Royersford, 41-6; Shillington, 24-0, and Upper Perk, 12-6.

Spring City 1-6-1 tied Boyertown, 0-0, and lost to all three of the others. Wilson was a 26-6 victor, Shillington won by 13-0, and Upper Perk mauled the Bucs fast and early, 12-1.

Royersford coach Bob McNelly has come up with a new offensive fullback for today's meet, too, moving Hen Wojton back to an elusive defensive post after a game of double duty.

FROM HIGH SCHOOL days to maturity the winning of a letter is a feat which brings justifiable self esteem. It represents work, and sprains, and bruises, and hard knocks, all blended with ability.

It always was our understanding that such a trophy is won by blood, sweat and tears. In most schools, an athlete must represent his school in inter-collegiate competition at least a moderate share of the time.

The added point meant nothing. It was just another apple in a bushel of them. They would have let anybody take the ball and walk over the goal while they were concentrated on young Mr. Yeager, splintering him over the field with the situation most emphatically at the moment.

It was a gag to the Yales, but they were winning. To a team taking a clabbering such as the Harvards were taking it had all the humor of a broken leg. It calls for revenge, and "Remember Yeager!" will become a rallying cry similar to "Remember the Alamo!"

The Harvards might be excused for their ignorance of what was happening. When Yeager, all 138 pounds of him, came prancing on the field, a pint-sized knight in shining and undented armor, to the battered, beaten and bedeviled Crimson defenders he was just another player in the endless stream that had poured from the Eliz. bench all afternoon.

They had no reason to ask him to present his credentials, and if they had made the request, his

serious, we see the incident in a humorous light, a belated Halloween prank, devoid of malice and trivial in importance.

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THE TROJANS 3-4-1 could be changed into an even Stephen season with an upset win today. Downingtown, 4-3-1, looked strong in romping over Coatesville in the Whippets last outing.

Coach Howard Caskey, whose Ches-Mont champs edged by in a fourth-quarter victory the past year, will again field a husky, talented team.

Captain Eddie Law, a 220-pound all-league guard spearheads a fierce, hard-hitting line.

Key man in the Whippets' wing attack is Senior Bill Miller. He is a speedster and runs with good drive on the offensive tackle power plays.

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Plan Turning the Trick Again



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'Ford Runs Risk of Over Confidence In Annual Battle With Spring City

It would be advisable for Royersford to avoid looking at comparative scores of itself and Spring City before going into this morning's 10 o'clock game at Buckland. It'd be detrimental to their mental outlook.

For the Eagles have such an overwhelming edge on the Pirates in this traditional tilt that overconfidence could easily sift into the 'Ford gearbox.

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**12 Ivy Records
Fall This Season;
Price Sets Four**

NEW YORK, Nov. 26 (AP)—Twelve Ivy group football records were broken during the 1952 season, five of them last Saturday, and with one more game to go—Pennsylvania vs. Cornell tomorrow—no other records are in danger.

All Penn can do is win the championship. A victory over Cornell would give Penn a 4-0 record as compared to Princeton's 6-1.

Ed Woodsum, Yale's pass-catching end, set the pace Saturday in the biggest record-breaking spree staged since official Ivy group statistics have been kept. By catching three touchdown passes from Ed Molloy, he set record marks of 11 touchdown receptions for the season and 17 for his career and 63 yards gained this season as a receiver.

But the over-all count of records this season, revealed today by the statistics, gave four to Columbia's Mitch Price and one each to Molloy and to Price's pet receiver, Al Ward. Meanwhile, Harvard's triple-threat tailback, Dick Clasby, ran off with the season's rushing and total offense honors at a two-record pace. Homer Smith of Princeton was the 12th record-breaker.

Both Molloy and Price broke the old forward passing record. But Molloy, by completing 9 of 13 in bad weather in the final game against Harvard, took the title with 93 completions to Price's 92. The former mark of 90 was set by Al Dekdebrun of Cornell in 1945. Ward caught 43 passes for a new season record while Woodsum received 40, equaling the old mark made by Columbia's Wes Bomm last year.

The record performances: (old marks in parentheses).

One game—Price, 322 yards passing vs. Yale (309); Paul Gornall, Columbia, 1942; Homer Smith, Princeton, 273 yards rushing vs. Harvard (262). Dick Kazmaier, Princeton, 1951).

ONE SEASON—Clasby, 950 yards rushing (861, Kazmaier, 1951); Clasby, 317 offensive plays (305, Gornall, 1941); Molloy, 93 completions (90, Dekdebrun, Cornell, 1945); Ward, 43 passes caught (40, Bomm, Columbia, 1951); Woodsum, 634 yards passes caught (517, Bill Swiacki, Columbia, 1947); Woodsum, 11 touchdown passes caught (8, German, Columbia, 1942).

Career—Woodsum, 17 touch-down passes caught (14, Larry Kelley, Yale, 1934-36); Price, 452 passes attempted (384, Gornall, 1940-42); Price, 237 passes completed (180, Sid Luckman, Columbia, 1936-38); Price, 3076 yards passing (2632, Gene Rossides, Columbia, 1945-48).

Clasby, in addition to his 950 yards rushing, gained 524 yards by passing for a total of 1474. Price was second in total offense with 1321 yards, mostly on passes. Smith, with 821 yards, trailed Clasby in the rushing department.

Woodsum led the Ivy scoring department with 72 points while another Yale player, Hub Prueett, captured the punting title in the final game with an average of 36.6 yards on 46 kicks to 36.5 for Ross Ellis of Dartmouth. The windup game could bring a change here, as Cornell's Bill Whelan has a 35.6 average.

**Rapier Dykes Meets Mace Turner
At Convention Hall Monday Night**

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 26 (AP)—It will be the rapier against the mace when slim Bobby Dykes, red-like in build, pits his consummate skill against the strength, endurance and fury of Gil Turner, and also will it be the North and the South at war once more.

Dykes hails from Texas but fights out of Miami for the records, while Turner is a Philadelphia boy, Yankee born and bred.

Dykes is the master of fence, although he can hit with stunning force when he sets himself, while Turner is the furious bull, bent on smashing, overpowering and outlasting.

In their one fight before this Dykes won a close decision. Now they meet at Convention Hall here on Monday evening, December 1st, under the promotion of Herman Taylor, and the winner will be the fellow most likely to get Kid Gavilan in the ring for a title bout in the early Spring or Summer.

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Cleveland Gains 309 Yards and NFL Total Yards Lead over Frisco 49ers

PHILADELPHIA, November 26 (AP)—By running up 309 yards last week while its closest rival, San Francisco, was gaining an even 200 yards, Cleveland increased its lead in total yards gained in the National Football League and now has a total of 3188 yards to 3053 for the 49ers.

The Browns have gained 1262 yards rushing and 1926 passing while San Francisco has totalled 1611 rushing and 1442 passing. Green Bay and Los Angeles are tied for third place, each with 2825 yards, while Detroit has amassed 2649.

San Francisco, which has led in yards gained rushing since early in the season, continues to show the way to other teams with its 1611 yards. The Chicago Cardinals are second with 1477 yards, followed by the New York Giants with 1451, Washington, 1366, and Detroit, 1319.

Kings Player Wins State Scoring Title

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 26 (AP)—Harry Miller of Kings college won the 1952 Pennsylvania collegiate football scoring championship, the final weekly Associated Press poll disclosed today.

Miller, a fast running halfback who specialized in long runs and was an excellent pass receiver, scored 108 points on 18 touchdowns to become the first Kings college player ever to win State scoring honors.

Bob Haner, the pile-driving Villanova fullback, was a fast finishing second with 99 points. Big Haner scored a pair of TDs and converted three extra points against Boston U the past Saturday but was unable to close the big lead Miller held over him. Haner finished the season with 13 TDs and 21 extra points.

West Chester's Earl Hers won up third on 89 points, 14 TDs and five extra points, followed by Art Massaros of Washington and Jefferson with 11 touchdowns and nine conversions for 75 points.

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**Robin Roberts
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PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 26 (AP)—Robin Roberts, the 28-game winning pitcher of the Philadelphia Phillies is going to pay a two-day visit to the hard coal country.

Roberts, first National League pitcher to win 25 games since Dizzy Dean turned the trick in 1935, will address more than 5000 pupils in Nanticoke, Forty-Fort and Kingston high schools on the first day of his visit to the Wyoming Valley.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Death

BUCKWALTER—On Wednesday, Nov. 26, 1952, Effie B. (Bau) Buckwalter, wife of the late Clarence A. Buckwalter, age 74 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the White Memorial Home, Parkersford, on Sunday at 2 p.m. Interment in Oak Grove, Parkersford. Friends may call Saturday evening 7 to 8:30. (White)

HERMES—Suddenly on Tuesday, Nov. 25, 1952, Rev. Father Peter, of Bally, Pa., age 71 years. Rev. Clergy. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Fleschmann Funeral Home, 238 Beech St., on Friday at 9 a.m. A Solemn High Mass will be celebrated in Holy Trinity Catholic church, Bally, on Monday at 11 a.m. Interment in the adjoining cemetery in the Priest's Plot. The body will lie in state in the church from Sunday 4 p.m. on. (Owen S. Hoffman)

DUKE—On Tuesday, Nov. 25, 1952, John A., husband of Anna (Bayus) Duke, age 38 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Delbert Funeral Home, 339 King St., on Friday at 2 p.m. The Rev. Dr. Luther A. Kropp will officiate. Interment in Highland Memorial Park, Elverson. Friends may call at Thursday evening 7 to 8:30. (Schumacher)

HARTMAN—On Tuesday, Nov. 25, 1952, Daniel I. Hartman, 42, husband of Myrtle I. (Engle) Hartman, age 39 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Schumacher Funeral Home, 339 King St., on Friday at 2 p.m. The Rev. Dr. Luther A. Kropp will officiate. Interment in Highland Memorial Park, Elverson. Friends may call Thursday evening 7 to 8:30. (Schumacher)

STOLTZFUSS—In Elverson Ed L. on Monday, Nov. 24, 1952, Miss Elizabeth Stoltzfuess, age 92 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Delbert Funeral Home, 339 King St., on Friday at 2 p.m. The Rev. Dr. Luther A. Kropp will officiate. Interment in Pine Grove cemetery, Elverson. Friends may call Wednesday evening at the Funeral Home. Please omit flowers. (Delbert)

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The quality of the steer run was only fair. There were very few strictly choice and prime cattle, and the demand is extra good for this type of cattle at this time. Other breeds did not do so well as last year. Heifers sold in line with last year. Butts were 50¢ to 51¢ lower and cows were 50¢ to 51¢ lower and cows were 50¢ to 51¢ lower. Calves were fully steady. Hogs were in sympathy with the recent downturn in market markets, averaging \$1.10 per head.

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St. Paul's Mothers Nominate Their New Officers' Ticket

New officers were nominated by the St. Paul's Reformed church Mothers' club at a meeting Tuesday in Kirkwood restaurant.

Mrs. James Waters will run as sole presidential candidate. Nominee for vice president is Mrs. Austin Sundstrom; secretary, Margaret Peck, and treasurer, Mrs. Robert Bechtel.

Hostess for the meeting was Mrs. George McElroy. She was assisted by Mrs. Frank Gross and Mrs. David Favinger, who also won the "pig-in-the-box" prize.

Next meeting will be at 8 p.m. Dec. 18, a Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Edward Heinbach, 181 North Franklin street.

Turkey Favors, Singing Are on Brownie Program

After group singing, Brownies of St. Aloysius troop 21 made Thanksgiving favors for today's dinners.

Present in the Scout room of the school were: Janie Barber, Barbara Bavy, Kathleen Bunt, Jo-Anne Cardilli, Joan Eppenheimer, Donna Hurter, Mary Ann Koval, Linda Marchek, Susan McDonough, Jan Newcomb, Rosaline Piazzesi, Geraldine Prior, Joan Sark and Julia Speehr.

Leaders were Mrs. Frank Sark, Barbara Kirkpatrick, Marie Magie and Mrs. Donald Lenderman. Roberta Newcom was a guest.

WHIPPED CREAM STRETCHES

Want to make a whipped cream topping for a dessert stretch? Prepare a meringue of one egg white and two tablespoons sugar and fold it gently into one cup of cream that has been whipped and lightly sweetened. To make the meringue, beat the egg white with a rotary beater until foamy, then gradually beat in the sugar until peaks form when the beater is slowly withdrawn.

You can tell by the smiles on the faces of these fifth graders at the Rupert school that they are anxious to get to know you. So, if you feel the same way, here they are—all pupils of teacher Lois S. Creswell. Left to right in the front row are Gard Ormsbee, Gary Kimes, Barry Borgiet, Jesse Houck, Charles Horn, Barbara Borgiet, Patricia Harp, Harry Borgiet, Gertrude Schmidt and Shirley Rinewalt. Row two, left to right, shows Frederick Maraffie, Martine Donner, Lane Taylor, James Yocom,

Herbert Seto, Richard Borger, Karen Mesick and Shirley Keehn. In the same order, row three includes David Fisher, Gail Knab, Nancy Shaffer, Thomas Mustek, Richard Rubendall, Barry March, Brooke Creswell and Harry De Soi. Left to right in the fourth row are Robert Boarman, Roberta Shaw, Rosa Ellis, Sally Batman, Edith Hoffer and Curt Van Rensselaer.

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Mrs. Warren Gordon and Mrs. Sherman Burbank Will Head PTA Yule Activities

Workers to co-ordinate turkeys, music and Santa Claus at North Coventry PTA's Country Store have been announced.

Activities have been slated to center around two points Dec. 6 in North Coventry's new elementary building.

Bazaar chairmen are Mrs. Warren Gordon and Mrs. Sherman Burbank.

Mrs. Paul Grim is in charge of publicity; cashiers are Mrs. A. Erwin Colver and Edna Shinehouse.

Candy booth: Mrs. Francis Wampler, chairman; Mrs. Harold Bealer, Mrs. Fred Hinton, Mrs. Whitney Kerchner, Mrs. Robert Leinbach, Mrs. Paul Knauer, Mrs. Charles R. Pertz, Mrs. Frank Hobl and Mrs. Leonard Hoffecker.

Country store and fish pond: Mrs. Elmer Rothenberger, chairman; Mrs. Lester Yocom, Mrs. Andrew Hanth, Mrs. Paul Collins, Mrs. Raymond Reed, Mrs. William Ellis, Mrs. Harold Ewing, Mrs. Rentz Bauman and Paul Langford.

Surprise Bridal Shower Honors Mrs. Robert Yost

Mrs. Robert Yost was guest of honor at surprise bridal shower held in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Pence.

Blue and white streamers and white wedding bells decorated the receiving rooms.

Guests attending were: Catherine Yost, Doris Calflesh, Loretta Pence, Betty Royer, Mrs. Joel Heffentrager and Sharon Heffentrager.

Mrs. Clyde Croll, Dorothy Knipe, Rilla Knipe and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred George.

Parkerford Brownies Work on Yuletide Dolls

Parkerford Brownie troop 141 worked on Christmas cloth dolls at a meeting Monday in the Scout house.

Members attending were: Marybeth Albright, Susan Batchelor, Batchelor, Janet Bauer, Mary Lib Brower, Paula Burkhardt and Barbara Ann Dieter.

Joyce Fogley, Ann Kritzer, Sandra Lucas, Virginia Rogers, Antoinette Taylor, Sally White, Linda Williams and Diane Yerger.

Leaders present were Flora Williams and Mrs. William Albright.

PATIENT AT RIVERVIEW

Margaret Wanish, 885 Queen street, is a surgical patient at Riverview Osteopathic hospital. Elizabeth Shipe, St. Peters, who was a surgical patient at the hospital has been discharged.

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Teen-Aides' Dance to Have Yuletide Decor

Gleaming silver and fir greens will decorate Franklin school's gymnasium Dec. 19 when Pottstown hospital Teen-Aides give their Yule dance.

Though dress is optional, many full-length, frothy frocks will sweep the floor in time to Sherwood Yerger's music.

In charge of Joy Daniels, the dance will run from 8 to 11 p.m.

Social committee workers include: Patricia Dolas, Judith Feight, Barbara Galloway, Joanne Geisler, Barbara Good, Jill Jaycox, Sandra Keller, Judith Lambert, Joyce Lias, Trudy Miller, Barbara

Lady Owls Nominate New Presidential Candidate

Anna Kennedy was nominated unopposed to run for Lady Owl president at a meeting Tuesday evening in the IO of A building.

Nominated for vice president was Clara Sill, warden, Larena Mogal; chaplain, Ella McClafferty, sentinel, Bertha Verger, and trustee, Sarah Ellis.

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